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FOREWORD

On page 133 are shown the dates of issue and prices of the latest printed publications issued by the Central Office of this Bureau. In addition, mimeographed publications are currently produced on the following subjects coming within the scope of the Quarterly Summary.

I. POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS—

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III. PRIMARY AND SECONDARY INDUSTRIES—

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Monthly—Dairying; Gold Mining; Minerals and Mineral Products; Meat Industry.

SECONDARY—

Annual—Factories—Summary of Principal Statistics*; Indexes of Factory Production; Factory Products—Principal; Manufacturing Industries (a series of thirty-five bulletins, each dealing with a particular Industry).

Monthly—Production*; Production Summaries (a series of fifty summaries, each dealing with a particular commodity or group of commodities).

IV. BUILDING—

Quarterly—Building*.

Monthly—Building Approvals.

V. TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION—

Annual—Registrations of New Motor Vehicles.

Quarterly—Road Traffic Accidents involving Casualties.

Monthly—Motor Vehicle Registrations*.

Periodic—Census of Motor Vehicles, 31 December 1962.

VI. RETAIL SALES—

Quarterly—Instalment Credit for Retail Sales; Retail Sales of Goods*.

Monthly—Instalment Credit for Retail Sales; Retail Sales of Goods*.

Periodic—Census of Retail Establishments and Other Services, 1961–62.

VII. OVERSEAS TRADE—

Annual—Overseas Trade (Preliminary Bulletin); Trade of Australia with Eastern Countries.

Quarterly—Australian Overseas Trade with Major Groups of Countries.

Monthly—Exports of Wool; Overseas Trade*.

* Also preliminary statements.

VIII. BALANCE OF PAYMENTS—

Half-yearly—Balance of Payments.*Quarterly*—Balance of Payments.

IX. NATIONAL ACCOUNTS—

Quarterly—Quarterly Estimates of National Income and Expenditure.*Annual*—Australian National Accounts—Preliminary Statements.

X. PRIVATE FINANCE—

Annual—Finance Companies; Overseas Investment*.*Quarterly*—New Capital Raisings*; Unit Trusts, Land Trusts and Mutual Funds.*Monthly*—Banking (General)*; Finance Companies; Life Insurance; Savings Banks*.

XI. PUBLIC FINANCE—

Annual—Taxation Collections.

XII. SOCIAL STATISTICS—

Quarterly—Divorce.*Annual*—Divorce; Schools*; Universities*.

XIII. WAGES AND PRICES—

Quarterly—Consumer Price Index.*Monthly*—Wage Rates and Earnings; Export Price Index; Wholesale Price (Basic Materials and Foodstuffs) Index.

Digest of Current Economic Statistics—a general monthly publication containing a selection of seventy-seven economic indicators.

Complete lists of the publications issued by the Central and State Offices of this Bureau are given in the annual *Publications of the Commonwealth Bureau of Census and Statistics* available from the Commonwealth Statistician. A subject index for Central Office publications is also provided therein. This annual publication is supplemented by issues of the *Monthly Statement of Publications issued by the Commonwealth Bureau of Census and Statistics*.

* Also preliminary statements.

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SECTION I. POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS

NOTE. For dates subsequent to the Census of June 1961 a new series of population estimates of the States and Territories of Australia has been introduced. The method used in preparing this new series of population estimates will be used in preparing future population estimates at quarterly dates subsequent to the Census of 30 June 1966. In this method the population in each State or Territory is estimated by adding to the population ascertained at the Census the natural increase and the allocation of the net gain to Australia by overseas migration for that State or Territory; gains and corresponding losses that result from movements between States and Territories are also taken into account, in so far as they are recorded as transfers of residence under child endowment procedures or Commonwealth Electoral procedures supplemented by results of any special count or sample survey. Holiday, business or other similar short-term movements between States and Territories, subsequent to the 1961 Census, are omitted.

This method represents a change from the former method of estimating State populations. The former method was based on the addition to Census population figures of natural increase and all net recorded movement from overseas according to State of embarkation/disembarkation, as well as all net recorded movement by air, rail, sea and bus between States. The 1966 Census has confirmed that, despite very considerable efforts made to improve recording of interstate movements, it is not possible to measure such movements with the desired accuracy. The method now adopted, tested over the 1961 to 1966 intercensal period, appears to provide a more accurate result. It has therefore been adopted for intercensal revision of the population and will be used from now on until the Census of 1971.

A consequence of the omission of holiday, business or other similar movements between States will be that the marked annual seasonal rise in the December population of Tasmania and the less marked but still distinct annual seasonal rise in the June population in Queensland due to interstate holiday movements will no longer be reflected in the estimates.

The new series of population estimates is based on the preliminary results of the population Census of 30 June 1966. They are subject to revision when the final results of the Census become available.

The *estimated mean population* for the year ended 31 December 1961 covers a period of six months prior to the introduction of the new series of State population estimates from 1 July 1961 and has therefore been calculated on the basis of State population estimates prepared using the former method of estimation. Similarly *Total Increase* of population (page 3) for States and Territories for the year 1961 has been calculated on the basis of population estimates prepared for 31 December 1961 using the former method.

For dates subsequent to the 1966 Census, the estimated State populations are subject to revision when the actual population of each State is ascertained at the next Census. For some States such revisions were substantial after the 1966 Census.

Particulars of population in this section are exclusive of full-blood Aborigines.

AREA AND POPULATION

State or Territory	Area— square miles	Estimated population			
		30 June 1966(a)			Capital city statistical divisions 30 June 1966(a)
		Males	Females	Persons	
New South Wales	309,433	2,122,559	2,108,544	4,231,103	2,539,627
Victoria	87,884	1,613,286	1,604,546	3,217,832	2,228,511
Queensland	667,000	842,201	819,039	1,661,240	777,935
South Australia	380,070	547,802	542,921	1,090,723	770,628
Western Australia	975,920	425,872	409,698	835,570	558,297
Tasmania	26,383	187,267	183,950	371,217	141,238
Northern Territory	520,280	21,319	15,847	37,166	(b) 20,261
Australian Capital Territory ..	939	49,910	46,003	95,913	(c) 93,197
Australia	2,967,909	5,810,216	5,730,548	11,540,764	..

(a) Preliminary Census results. The figures shown for the six State capital cities are on the basis of the new capital city statistical divisions introduced for the 1966 Census. (b) Urban division. (c) Canberra City district.

POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS

ESTIMATED POPULATION

Year	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
At 30 JUNE									
1962r	3,984,472	2,982,365	1,541,453	984,949	755,344	355,625	28,146	66,173	10,698,527
1963r	4,046,548	3,039,708	1,567,465	1,007,781	777,249	360,637	30,269	73,398	10,903,055
1964r	4,103,503	3,103,945	1,599,428	1,034,653	796,850	364,179	32,829	80,330	11,115,717
1965r	4,170,060	3,162,355	1,632,395	1,063,765	813,447	367,727	34,910	88,460	11,333,119
1966(a)	4,231,103	3,217,832	1,661,240	1,090,723	835,570	371,217	37,166	95,913	11,540,764

At 31 DECEMBER									
1961r	3,949,670	2,954,826	1,531,125	977,007	744,845	353,236	27,591	62,331	10,600,631
1962r	4,019,407	3,010,130	1,552,875	995,491	766,385	358,019	28,623	69,544	10,800,474
1963r	4,073,807	3,069,693	1,584,608	1,019,223	787,554	362,690	31,469	77,273	11,006,317
1964r	4,137,236	3,136,128	1,614,812	1,048,358	806,300	366,354	33,909	84,522	11,227,619
1965r	4,205,258	3,193,661	1,646,821	1,078,918	825,945	369,410	36,266	92,738	11,449,017

(a) Preliminary Census Results.

ESTIMATED MEAN POPULATION(a)

Year	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE									
1962r	3,950,278	2,956,296	1,530,516	976,897	745,400	353,152	27,593	62,673	10,602,805
1963r	4,017,814	3,010,919	1,553,380	995,759	766,546	358,112	28,905	69,557	10,800,992
1964r	4,074,984	3,072,030	1,584,157	1,020,285	787,485	362,648	31,588	76,963	11,010,140
1965r	4,137,678	3,134,526	1,615,229	1,048,514	805,327	366,210	33,981	84,395	11,225,860
1966r	4,203,872	3,191,835	1,647,472	1,077,826	824,984	369,401	36,224	92,564	11,444,178

YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER									
1961(a)	3,913,896	2,926,032	1,516,273	970,090	737,568	353,623	26,266	58,852	10,502,600
1962r	3,984,327	2,983,022	1,541,711	985,321	755,583	355,638	28,137	66,179	10,699,918
1963r	4,046,781	3,040,308	1,567,908	1,007,541	777,361	360,501	30,105	73,298	10,903,803
1964r	4,105,149	3,104,112	1,599,537	1,034,127	796,717	364,420	32,901	80,497	11,117,460
1965r	4,171,328	3,163,589	1,631,884	1,063,075	814,409	367,793	35,152	88,399	11,335,629

(a) There is a break in continuity between 1961 and 1962. The mean population for 1962 and later years is calculated from population estimates prepared by the new method described on page 1 and that for 1961 on the basis of the method previously used.

INCREASE OF POPULATION

State or Territory	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	Year ended September—	
						1965	1966

NATURAL INCREASE (EXCESS OF BIRTHS OVER DEATHS)

New South Wales ..	51,344	48,578	46,839	41,031	39,120	39,055	37,663
Victoria ..	41,386	40,043	38,729	37,442	35,519	35,734	35,132
Queensland ..	23,881	22,508	22,659	20,449	19,437	19,836	18,203
South Australia ..	14,584	13,129	13,166	11,960	12,103	11,869	11,420
Western Australia ..	11,349	11,254	11,314	10,256	9,912	10,037	9,673
Tasmania ..	6,193	6,024	5,712	5,078	4,492	4,780	4,313
Northern Territory ..	750	780	698	747	753	652	871
Australian Capital Territory	1,538	1,602	1,678	1,592	1,803	1,735	1,840
Australia ..	151,025	143,918	140,795	128,555	123,139	123,698	119,115

TOTAL INCREASE(a) r

New South Wales ..	68,867	69,737	54,400	63,429	68,022	67,303	
Victoria ..	56,526	55,304	59,563	66,435	57,533	58,206	
Queensland ..	26,020	21,750	31,733	30,204	32,009	33,723	
South Australia ..	25,573	18,484	23,732	29,135	30,560	28,762	
Western Australia ..	15,900	21,540	21,169	18,746	19,645	18,185	
Tasmania ..	8,204	4,783	4,671	3,664	3,056	3,097	
Northern Territory ..	562	1,032	2,846	2,440	2,357	2,404	
Australian Capital Territory	7,059	7,213	7,729	7,249	8,216	7,926	
Australia ..	208,711	199,843	205,843	221,302	221,398	219,606	203,420

(a) Includes natural increase and net migration together with adjustments for differences disclosed by the results of the Censuses of 30 June 1961 and 1966 (preliminary). See footnote (a) second table page 2.

POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS—SUMMARY, AUSTRALIA

Period	Marriages	Births	Deaths	Natural increase (a)	Net overseas migration (b)	Total increase (c)	Population at end of period
Year—							
1961 ..	76,686	239,986	88,961	151,025	61,523	r208,711	r10,600,631
1962 ..	79,090	237,081	93,163	143,918	62,522	r199,843	r10,800,474
1963 ..	80,916	235,689	94,894	140,795	71,645	r205,843	r11,006,317
1964 ..	86,013	229,149	100,594	128,555	99,342	r221,302	r11,227,619
1965 ..	93,546	222,854	99,715	123,139	104,856	r221,398	r11,449,017
Quarter ended—							
June 1965 ..	23,768	55,217	24,698	30,519	16,414	r45,279	r11,333,119
September 1965 ..	20,320	57,170	29,876	27,294	24,564	r50,212	r11,383,331
December 1965 ..	24,937	55,547	23,655	31,892	35,443	r65,686	r11,449,017
March 1966 ..	24,861	54,792	22,272	32,520	26,337	r57,206	r11,506,223
June 1966 ..	25,008	55,044	24,899	30,145	6,045	r34,541	dr11,540,764
September 1966 ..	20,476	56,298	31,740	24,558	21,429	45,987	11,586,751

(a) Excess of births over deaths.

(b) Excess of arrivals over departures.

(c) Includes natural increase

and net migration together with adjustments for differences disclosed by Census results.

(d) Preliminary Census

MARRIAGES, BIRTHS AND DEATHS

State or Territory	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	Nine months ended September—	
						1965	1966
MARRIAGES—NUMBER							
New South Wales	29,773	30,360	30,999	32,633	35,176	25,853	26,115
Victoria	21,264	22,393	22,061	24,169	26,421	19,245	19,840
Queensland	10,392	10,642	11,431	11,752	12,967	9,513	9,879
South Australia	6,804	7,021	7,302	7,765	8,680	6,389	6,607
Western Australia	5,150	5,466	5,755	6,023	6,448	4,784	4,995
Tasmania	2,677	2,485	2,579	2,869	2,888	2,136	2,167
Northern Territory	207	243	260	233	296	204	222
Australian Capital Territory	419	480	529	569	670	485	520
Australia	76,686	79,090	80,916	86,013	93,546	68,609	70,345

DIVORCES: Australia—1964, 7,967—1965: New South Wales, 3,455; Victoria, 2,103; Queensland, 1,059; South Australia, 855; Western Australia, 606; Tasmania, 280; Northern Territory, 41; Australian Capital Territory, 135; Australia, 8,534.

MARRIAGE RATES—PER 1,000 OF MEAN POPULATION

New South Wales ..	7.61	7.62	7.66	7.95	8.43	8.28	
Victoria	7.27	7.51	7.26	7.79	8.35	8.13	
Queensland	6.85	6.90	7.29	7.35	7.95	7.79	
South Australia ..	7.01	7.13	7.25	7.51	8.16	8.04	
Western Australia ..	6.98	7.23	7.40	7.56	7.92	7.86	
Tasmania	7.57	6.99	7.15	7.87	7.85	7.8*	
Northern Territory ..	7.9*	8.6*	8.6*	7.1*	8.4*	7.8*	
Australian Capital Territory	7.1*	7.3*	7.2*	7.1*	7.6*	7.4*	
Australia	7.30	7.39	7.42	7.74	8.25	8.09	

BIRTHS—NUMBER

New South Wales ..	86,392	85,439	84,065	80,518	78,069	58,799	58,525
Victoria	65,886	65,890	65,649	64,990	63,550	47,439	47,501
Queensland	36,637	35,690	35,934	34,972	33,551	25,616	25,032
South Australia ..	22,399	21,361	21,367	20,866	20,891	15,420	15,055
Western Australia ..	17,078	17,064	17,290	16,685	16,186	12,122	12,079
Tasmania	8,982	8,894	8,530	8,252	7,535	5,693	5,520
Northern Territory ..	878	924	859	911	914	634	749
Australian Capital Territory	1,734	1,819	1,995	1,955	2,158	1,584	1,673
Australia	239,986	237,081	235,689	229,149	222,854	167,307	166,134

BIRTH RATES—PER 1,000 OF MEAN POPULATION

New South Wales ..	22.07	21.44	20.77	19.61	18.72	18.83	
Victoria	22.52	22.09	21.59	20.94	20.09	20.04	
Queensland	24.16	23.15	22.92	21.86	20.56	20.98	
South Australia ..	23.09	21.68	21.21	20.18	19.65	19.41	
Western Australia ..	23.15	22.58	22.24	20.94	19.87	19.90	
Tasmania	25.40	25.01	23.66	22.64	20.49	20.7*	
Northern Territory ..	33.4*	32.8*	28.5*	27.7*	26.0*	24.3*	
Australian Capital Territory	29.5*	27.5*	27.2*	24.3*	24.4*	24.2*	
Australia	22.85	22.16	21.62	20.61	19.66	19.73	

* Based on too few events to warrant calculation to second decimal place.

Marriages, Births and Deaths—continued

State or Territory	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	Nine months ended September—	
						1965	1966
DEATHS—NUMBER							
New South Wales	35,048	36,861	37,226	39,487	38,949	29,867	31,050
Victoria	24,500	25,847	26,920	27,548	28,031	21,429	21,878
Queensland	12,756	13,182	13,275	14,523	14,114	10,678	11,328
South Australia	7,815	8,232	8,201	8,906	8,788	6,571	6,889
Western Australia	5,729	5,810	5,976	6,429	6,274	4,766	4,962
Tasmania	2,789	2,870	2,818	3,174	3,043	2,369	2,375
Northern Territory	128	144	161	164	161	115	112
Australian Capital Territory	196	217	317	363	355	265	317
Australia	88,961	93,163	94,894	100,594	99,715	76,060	78,911

DEATH RATES—PER 1,000 OF MEAN POPULATION

New South Wales	8.95	9.25	9.20	9.62	9.34	9.57	
Victoria	8.37	8.66	8.85	8.87	8.86	9.05	
Queensland	8.41	8.55	8.47	9.08	8.65	8.75	
South Australia	8.06	8.35	8.14	8.61	8.27	8.27	
Western Australia	7.77	7.69	7.69	8.07	7.70	7.83	
Tasmania	7.89	8.07	7.82	8.71	8.27	8.6*	
Northern Territory	4.9*	5.1*	5.3*	5.0*	4.6*	4.4*	
Australian Capital Territory	3.3*	3.3*	4.3*	4.5*	4.0*	4.0*	
Australia	8.47	8.71	8.70	9.05	8.80	8.97	

DEATHS UNDER ONE YEAR OF AGE(a)—NUMBER

New South Wales	1,800	1,825	1,673	1,634	1,492	1,143	1,133
Victoria	1,173	1,219	1,242	1,098	1,109	809	816
Queensland	733	754	722	673	598	444	423
South Australia	448	409	399	397	385	302	263
Western Australia	336	380	353	328	351	265	255
Tasmania	151	184	153	166	125	93	79
Northern Territory	21	37	27	30	23	20	15
Australian Capital Territory	27	32	38	41	34	23	30
Australia	4,689	4,840	4,607	4,367	4,117	3,099	3,014

(a) Included in total number of deaths as shown above.

INFANT MORTALITY—RATE PER 1,000 LIVE BIRTHS

New South Wales	20.8	21.4	19.9	20.3	19.1	19.4	
Victoria	17.8	18.5	18.9	16.9	17.5	17.0	
Queensland	20.0	21.1	20.1	19.2	17.8	17.3	
South Australia	20.0	19.1	18.7	19.0	18.4	19.6	
Western Australia	19.7	22.3	20.4	19.7	21.7	21.9	
Tasmania	16.8	20.7	17.9	20.1	16.6	16.3	
Northern Territory	23.9	40.0	31.4	39.9	25.2	31.5	
Australian Capital Territory	15.6	17.6	19.0	21.0	15.8	14.5	
Australia	19.5	20.4	19.5	19.1	18.5	18.5	

* Based on too few events to warrant calculation to second decimal place.

CAUSES OF DEATH—AUSTRALIA, 1965

(Based on the Seventh Revision of the International List)

Cause of death	Detailed list numbers	Number of deaths			Rate per 1,000,000 of mean population	Percentage of total deaths
		Males	Females	Persons		
Tuberculosis, all forms ..	001-019	226	68	294	26	0.29
Other infective and parasitic diseases ..	(a)	203	172	375	33	0.38
Malignant neoplasms of—						
Digestive organs and peritoneum ..	150-159	2,825	2,558	5,383	475	5.40
Lung ..	162, 163	2,099	296	2,395	211	2.40
Breast ..	170	11	1,274	1,285	113	1.29
Genital organs ..	171-179	927	1,047	1,974	174	1.98
Urinary organs ..	180, 181	467	221	688	61	0.69
Leukaemia and aleukaemia ..	204	397	258	655	58	0.66
Other ..	(b)	1,612	1,139	2,751	243	2.76
Diabetes mellitus ..	260	580	892	1,472	130	1.48
Anaemias ..	290-293	128	164	292	26	0.29
Vascular lesions affecting central nervous system ..	330-334	5,809	7,835	13,644	1,204	13.68
Heart disease—						
Chronic rheumatic ..	410-416	315	484	799	71	0.80
Arteriosclerotic ..	420	17,252	10,188	27,440	2,421	27.52
Degenerative ..	421, 422	2,104	2,382	4,486	396	4.50
Other ..	430-434	1,598	1,679	3,277	289	3.29
Hypertension (with or without heart disease) ..	440-447	933	1,192	2,125	188	2.13
General arteriosclerosis ..	450	978	1,242	2,220	196	2.23
Influenza ..	480-483	81	61	142	13	0.14
Pneumonia ..	490-493	1,903	1,467	3,370	297	3.38
Bronchitis ..	500-502	1,888	358	2,246	198	2.25
Ulcer of stomach and duodenum	540, 541	430	189	619	55	0.62
Intestinal obstruction and hernia	560, 561, 570	223	258	481	42	0.48
Cirrhosis of liver ..	581	346	201	547	48	0.55
Nephritis and nephrosis ..	590-594	482	426	908	80	0.91
Deliveries and complications of pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium ..	640-652, 670-689	..	74	74	7	0.07
Congenital malformations ..	750-759	592	549	1,141	101	1.14
Certain diseases of early infancy	760-776	1,403	1,016	2,419	213	2.43
Motor vehicle accidents ..	E810-E835	2,363	800	3,163	279	3.17
All other accidents ..	{ E800-E802 E840-E962 }	1,880	1,077	2,957	261	2.97
Suicide and self-inflicted injury	E963, E970-E979	1,075	610	1,685	149	1.69
All other causes ..	Residual	4,640	3,768	8,408	742	8.43
All causes ..	..	55,770	43,945	99,715	8,797	100.00

(a) 020-138. (b) 140-148, 160, 161, 164, 165, 190-203, 205.

OVERSEAS ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES—AUSTRALIA

TOTAL MOVEMENT

Period	Total arrivals			Total departures			Excess of arrivals over departures
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	
Year—							
1962	180,732	151,592	332,324	152,112	117,690	269,802	62,522
1963	211,430	169,297	380,727	175,211	133,871	309,082	71,645
1964	252,669	199,688	452,357	200,611	152,404	353,015	99,342
1965	292,184	232,952	525,136	237,673	182,607	420,280	104,856
1966p	313,224	244,369	557,593	268,330	202,314	470,644	86,949
Quarter ended—							
September 1965 ..	65,498	52,399	117,897	53,271	40,062	93,333	24,564
December 1965 ..	82,135	67,938	150,073	65,916	48,714	114,630	35,443
March 1966 ..	80,958	63,188	144,146	65,016	52,793	117,809	26,337
June 1966 ..	73,439	54,908	128,347	70,679	51,623	122,302	6,045
September 1966 ..	71,368	54,259	125,627	60,312	43,886	104,198	21,429
December 1966p ..	87,459	72,014	159,473	72,323	54,012	126,335	33,138

ARRIVALS

Period	Permanent movement (a)	Long-term movement (b)		Total permanent and long-term movement	Short-term movement (c)		Total movement
	Settlers arriving	Residents returning	Visitors arriving		Residents returning	Visitors arriving	Total arrivals
Year—							
1962	90,464	20,580	13,941	124,985	95,915	111,424	332,324
1963	108,150	22,205	13,813	144,168	111,182	125,377	380,727
1964	134,464	23,641	15,020	173,125	131,354	147,878	452,357
1965	147,507	26,260	17,497	191,264	160,544	173,328	525,136
1966p	141,037	28,291	19,239	188,567	181,765	187,261	557,593
Quarter ended—							
September 1965 ..	29,723	6,060	3,845	39,628	39,916	38,353	117,897
December 1965 ..	38,870	8,862	4,102	51,834	45,154	53,085	150,073
March 1966 ..	36,385	6,829	6,367	49,581	46,530	48,035	144,146
June 1966 ..	39,077	5,528	4,147	48,752	39,208	40,387	128,347
September 1966 ..	28,429	6,158	4,386	38,973	43,789	42,865	125,627
December 1966p ..	37,146	9,776	4,339	51,261	52,238	55,974	159,473

DEPARTURES

Period	Permanent movement (a)		Long-term movement (b)		Total permanent and long-term movement	Short-term movement (c)		Total movement
	Former settlers departing (d)	Other residents departing	Residents departing	Visitors departing		Residents departing	Visitors departing	Total departures
Year—								
1962	8,518	6,911	31,781	13,137	60,347	95,872	113,583	269,802
1963	9,102	7,176	38,317	12,729	67,324	112,427	129,331	309,082
1964	7,828	7,255	40,958	13,085	69,126	133,248	150,641	353,015
1965	14,803	6,110	46,313	12,429	79,655	161,692	178,933	420,280
1966p	18,344	7,965	54,325	12,064	92,698	183,111	194,835	470,644
Quarter ended—								
September 1965	3,938	1,291	10,818	2,795	18,842	34,970	39,521	93,333
December 1965	4,883	1,687	13,075	3,248	22,893	43,940	47,797	114,630
March 1966 ..	3,485	1,844	13,829	2,953	22,111	41,634	54,064	117,809
June 1966 ..	4,057	1,776	14,063	2,812	22,708	53,267	46,327	122,302
September 1966	4,839	1,870	12,534	3,047	22,290	37,612	44,296	104,198
December 1966p	5,963	2,475	13,899	3,252	25,589	50,598	50,148	126,335

(a) Permanent movement—persons arriving with stated intent to settle permanently in Australia, and residents departing with stated intent to reside permanently abroad. (b) Long-term movement—arrival of visitors and temporary departure of residents with stated intent to stay (in Australia or in a country abroad respectively) for twelve months or more, and the departure of visitors and return of residents who have stayed (in Australia or in a country abroad respectively) for twelve months or more. (c) Short-term movement—all other movement, including the movement of Australian troops irrespective of period of stay. (d) Excludes persons who stated on departure that they had come to Australia to settle and had stayed for a period of less than twelve months.

**OVERSEAS ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES: PERMANENT MOVEMENT(a), BY
NATIONALITY AND MODE OF TRANSPORT, AUSTRALIA**

Nationality and mode of transport	Arrivals				Departures			
	1963	1964	1965	Nine months ended Sept. 1966	1963	1964	1965	Nine months ended Sept. 1966
NATIONALITY								
British								
<i>Country of Citizenship—</i>								
Australia	1,579	1,662	1,535	793	4,913	5,118	5,173	4,979
Canada	668	753	926	563	183	245	224	223
Ceylon, India and Pakistan	604	692	664	807	40	41	55	37
Ireland(b)	771	1,093	1,352	894	190	200	183	137
New Zealand	1,527	1,930	2,065	1,841	487	515	694	554
South Africa(b)	393	421	332	166	45	75	98	106
United Kingdom and Colonies(c)	47,636	66,572	79,724	56,796	4,482	4,557	8,172	6,879
Other Countries	761	968	746	654	88	129	197	167
Citizenship Not Stated	9,978	7,918	7,639	3,005	1,634	829	2,067	1,432
Total British	63,917	82,009	94,983	65,519	12,062	11,709	16,863	14,514
American (U.S.)	1,256	1,578	2,280	1,733	464	565	675	651
Austrian	644	907	994	645	212	154	155	123
Dutch	2,009	2,369	2,470	1,569	1,086	701	795	517
French	520	552	380	364	67	64	85	114
German	2,954	3,471	3,167	2,489	900	623	817	554
Greek	11,575	18,995	17,541	9,699	114	98	181	170
Italian	12,914	12,040	10,776	8,932	394	251	268	277
Lebanese	576	842	1,290	1,250	8	7	9	9
Polish(d)	827	961	1,030	687	69	63	85	79
Russian(e)	268	122	211	89	45	26	30	11
Spanish	2,111	656	1,134	933	48	70	53	96
Swiss	241	348	382	404	94	55	94	71
United Arab Republic								
Citizen	590	609	525	600	..	5	19	3
Yugoslav	3,992	4,760	6,168	5,528	95	103	183	138
Stateless(f)	1,556	1,445	1,067	567	57	28	35	17
Other Nationalities	2,200	2,800	3,109	2,883	563	561	566	527
Grand total	108,150	134,464	147,507	103,891	16,278	15,083	20,913	17,871
MODE OF TRANSPORT								
Sea	81,003	86,809	86,083	63,592	11,713	9,759	14,213	11,513
Air	27,147	47,655	61,424	40,299	4,565	5,324	6,700	6,358

(a) See footnote (a) on page 7. (b) Included with British nationality for the purposes of this table. (c) Includes Maltese. Separate figures are available from the beginning of 1965 namely: 1965—Arrivals 4,403; Departures 90. Nine months ended September 1966—Arrivals 1,628; Departures 126. See table on page 9 for Malta—country of last or intended future residence. (d) Includes Stateless who were formerly Polish. (e) Includes Stateless who were formerly Russian. (f) Stateless, former nationality not stated, or other than Polish or Russian.

**OVERSEAS ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES: PERMANENT MOVEMENT(a), BY COUNTRY
OF LAST RESIDENCE (ARRIVALS) OR COUNTRY OF INTENDED FUTURE
RESIDENCE (DEPARTURES)(b), AUSTRALIA**

Country of last residence (arrivals) or country of intended future residence (departures)(b)	Arrivals				Departures			
	1963	1964	1965	Nine months ended September 1966	1963	1964	1965	Nine months ended September 1966
Africa—								
Commonwealth countries	1,303	1,561	1,457	1,098	34	55	79	56
South Africa	470	571	502	288	144	284	462	516
United Arab Republic—								
Egypt	1,750	1,749	965	897	2	9	9	..
Other	126	170	158	133	5	14	9	6
America—								
Canada	797	916	1,091	631	634	797	833	977
Other Commonwealth countries	40	97	135	150	6	3	9	5
United States of America	1,464	1,805	2,597	1,929	1,410	1,413	1,580	1,267
Other	284	419	637	515	39	33	42	36
Asia—								
Ceylon, India and Pakistan	799	911	944	1,026	70	73	71	58
Hong Kong	304	316	403	243	100	106	160	69
Malaysia and Singapore	636	488	682	519	168	172	237	184
Other Commonwealth countries	539	564	434	468	21	11	7	5
China	335	303	274	36	18	5	6	3
Lebanon	562	823	1,276	1,264	14	15	20	13
Other	861	1,095	1,068	924	183	274	202	261
Europe—								
United Kingdom and Ireland	52,298	67,517	80,571	56,416	5,150	4,765	8,826	6,901
Malta	4,243	5,879	5,245	1,648	43	27	100	136
Other Commonwealth countries	58	111	271	232	5	20	26	11
Austria	1,500	1,896	1,719	1,380	204	132	122	101
Belgium	454	319	259	326	60	75	73	21
France	537	651	681	731	78	70	99	115
Germany	3,219	3,831	3,634	2,913	910	609	703	543
Greece	10,734	18,006	17,173	9,464	129	118	199	149
Hungary	142	155	103	86	41	33	31	31
Italy	13,587	12,540	11,221	9,018	497	325	318	324
Netherlands	1,920	2,315	2,439	1,546	1,146	633	731	448
Poland	784	913	977	628	56	61	78	74
Spain	2,065	593	848	662	55	77	55	92
Switzerland	275	381	493	604	97	59	102	84
U.S.S.R.	47	53	51	70	44	26	25	17
Yugoslavia	3,098	3,594	4,877	4,358	84	96	176	104
Other	642	1,047	1,169	1,015	259	165	216	201
Oceania—								
New Zealand	1,980	2,528	2,769	2,396	3,204	3,119	3,882	3,710
Papua and New Guinea	144	179	203	132	1,184	1,230	1,231	1,158
Other Commonwealth countries	128	136	126	118	162	157	173	168
Other	25	32	55	27	22	22	21	27
Total	108,150	134,464	147,507	103,891	16,278	15,083	20,913	17,871

(a) See footnote (a) on page 7.

(b) For a period of one year or more.

**OVERSEAS ARRIVALS: PERMANENT MOVEMENT, SETTLERS ARRIVING(a),
BY STATE OR TERRITORY OF INTENDED RESIDENCE(b)**

State or Territory of intended residence(b)	1963	1964	1965	Nine months ended September 1966 (p)
New South Wales	34,143	42,853	51,158	33,619
Victoria	33,178	46,023	43,636	28,888
Queensland	6,995	8,837	10,556	6,418
South Australia	13,112	19,985	22,567	16,307
Western Australia	10,383	10,316	11,612	11,460
Tasmania	1,240	1,567	1,787	1,369
Northern Territory	196	327	376	243
Australian Capital Territory	827	1,024	1,156	787
Not stated(c)	8,076	3,532	4,659	4,800
Total	108,150	134,464	147,507	103,891

(a) See footnote (a) on page 7. (b) Persons are asked on or before arrival, the State or Territory of Australia in which they next intend to stay for twelve months or more. The statements represent the settlers' intentions at the time and may not be realised. This must be borne in mind in interpreting the statistics. The allocation to States and Territories in the table is based on these statements except that settlers proceeding to the migrant reception centre, Bonegilla, Victoria, are allocated, as far as is practicable, to the State or Territory of their placement from the centre. (c) Includes also persons passing through the migrant reception centre who were not placed by the end of the month following the quarterly period of arrival.

**OVERSEAS ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES: SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT, VISITORS
ARRIVING(a) AND RESIDENTS DEPARTING(b), BY STATED PURPOSE OF
JOURNEY AND MODE OF TRANSPORT, AUSTRALIA**

Stated purpose of journey and mode of transport	Visitors arriving(a)				Residents departing(b)			
	1963	1964	1965	Nine months ended September 1966	1963	1964	1965	Nine months ended September 1966
Business—								
Sea	543	495	751	462	1,453	1,405	1,929	1,642
Air	21,287	25,965	31,419	24,949	22,248	26,253	30,354	25,944
Total	21,830	26,460	32,170	25,411	23,701	27,658	32,283	27,586
Holiday—								
Sea	11,769	11,700	13,405	8,765	36,512	39,620	45,806	36,465
Air	49,406	60,506	75,686	57,345	39,663	51,401	65,200	50,669
Total	61,175	72,206	89,091	66,110	76,175	91,021	111,006	87,134
Education—								
Sea	243	261	268	207	487	479	486	344
Air	5,999	6,457	6,764	7,342	1,221	1,688	1,879	1,902
Total	6,242	6,718	7,032	7,549	1,708	2,167	2,365	2,246
Other and not stated—								
Sea	1,175	1,563	1,498	665	2,601	2,281	2,917	2,522
Air	7,607	9,348	9,466	7,864	8,242	10,121	13,121	13,025
Total	8,782	10,911	10,964	8,529	10,843	12,402	16,038	15,547
Total—								
Sea	13,730	14,019	15,922	10,099	41,053	43,785	51,138	40,973
Air	84,299	102,276	123,335	97,500	71,374	89,463	110,554	91,540
Total	98,029	116,295	139,257	107,599	112,427	133,248	161,692	132,513
In transit(c)—								
Sea	4,336	4,897	4,369	2,118	..	..	..	..
Air	23,012	26,686	29,702	21,570	..	..	..	..
Total	27,348	31,583	34,071	23,688	..	..	..	..
Total, including in transit—								
Sea	18,066	18,916	20,291	12,217	41,053	43,785	51,138	40,973
Air	107,311	128,962	153,037	119,070	71,374	89,463	110,554	91,540
Total	125,377	147,878	173,328	131,287	112,427	133,248	161,692	132,513

(a) Persons arriving who state they intend to reside in Australia for a period of less than one year. (b) Persons departing who state they intend to reside in a country abroad for a period of less than one year, together with Australian troops irrespective of length of intended residence. (c) Excludes 'through' passengers who do not change ship or aircraft.

OVERSEAS ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES: SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT, VISITORS
ARRIVING(a) AND RESIDENTS DEPARTING(b), BY COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE(c)
(ARRIVALS) OR COUNTRY OF DISEMBARKATION(d) (DEPARTURES), AUSTRALIA

Country of residence(c) (arrivals) and country of disembarkation(d) (departures)	Visitors arriving(a) (excluding in transit travellers)				Residents departing(b)			
	1963	1964	1965	Nine months ended September 1966	1963	1964	1965	Nine months ended September 1966
Africa—								
Commonwealth countries	714	779	898	702	63	115	181	156
South Africa	769	921	1,196	650	597	692	825	652
Other	195	222	312	260	273	358	419	242
America—								
Canada	2,174	2,545	3,491	2,289	1,198	1,220	1,247	1,254
Other Commonwealth countries	117	74	156	90	28	55	143	176
United States of America—								
Excl. Hawaii	14,826	17,882	21,485	17,409	4,969	6,004	6,682	5,593
Hawaii					4,904	6,107	6,655	5,584
Other	366	393	570	521	91	129	817	659
Asia—								
Ceylon, India, Pakistan	1,030	1,207	1,312	970	1,530	1,606	1,438	975
Hong Kong	1,516	1,779	1,852	1,674	5,358	6,832	7,429	6,542
Malaysia and Singapore	3,320	3,645	4,391	3,738	10,811	11,726	12,644	10,831
Other Commonwealth countries	356	279	122	51	24	22	22	8
Japan	1,832	2,598	3,262	2,462	3,756	6,371	8,072	4,579
Other	2,617	3,022	3,184	2,950	3,552	4,744	6,534	8,935
Europe—								
United Kingdom and Ireland	12,144	13,988	17,095	12,572	14,034	15,180	17,148	15,086
Other Commonwealth countries	72	73	179	111	265	215	520	362
Italy	692	785	972	810	10,149	12,267	13,429	11,944
Netherlands	1,374	1,695	1,921	1,227	1,397	1,309	1,670	1,696
Other	4,181	4,891	6,212	4,410	3,018	2,852	5,384	4,529
Oceania—								
Fiji	1,613	1,797	1,794	1,315	4,099	5,949	7,088	5,240
New Zealand	33,786	41,211	50,448	39,537	29,416	34,157	44,278	31,273
Papua and New Guinea	11,595	13,536	14,879	11,030	8,445	10,963	12,700	11,076
Other Commonwealth countries	1,049	1,233	1,075	986	1,901	2,201	3,029	2,368
Other	1,691	1,740	2,451	1,835	2,549	2,174	3,338	2,753
Total	98,029	116,295	139,257	107,599	112,427	133,248	161,692	132,513

(a) See footnote (a) second table, page 10. (b) See footnote (b), second table, page 10. (c) For a period of one year or more. (d) Country of intended disembarkation from the particular ship or aircraft which takes the passenger from Australia.

**OVERSEAS ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES: SHORT-TERM MOVEMENT,
VISITORS ARRIVING(a) AND RESIDENTS DEPARTING(b),
BY INTENDED LENGTH OF STAY, AUSTRALIA**

Intended length of stay(c)	Visitors arriving(a) (excluding in transit travellers)				Residents departing(b)			
	1963	1964	1965	Nine months ended September 1966	1963	1964	1965	Nine months ended September 1966
Under 1 week	9,119	10,895	14,647	12,433	4,467	4,988	6,727	5,296
1 week and under 2 weeks	13,208	16,854	21,925	18,018	7,039	8,746	11,681	10,044
2 weeks and under 3 weeks	15,542	19,592	23,734	18,740	11,006	15,726	19,781	15,954
3 weeks and under 1 month	7,666	10,342	14,563	10,669	8,025	10,095	15,311	10,776
1 month and under 2 months	16,289	18,826	20,717	14,943	18,806	21,925	25,230	18,317
2 months and under 3 months	8,472	9,289	10,717	7,836	11,458	14,005	16,017	11,848
3 months and under 4 months	9,176	10,176	11,257	7,789	9,497	10,292	11,815	10,033
4 months and under 6 months	3,246	3,638	4,031	3,053	6,998	7,968	9,788	8,880
6 months and under 12 months	9,912	10,804	12,273	9,816	20,514	21,605	25,947	22,933
Indefinite, not stated, etc.	5,399	5,879	5,393	4,302	14,617	17,898	19,395	18,432
Total	98,029	116,295	139,257	107,599	112,427	133,248	161,692	132,513

(a) See footnote (a), second table, page 10. (b) See footnote (b), second table, page 10.
in the case of Visitors Arriving: abroad in the case of Residents Departing.

(c) In Australia,

SECTION II. EMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT

WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT—AUSTRALIA(a)
(*000)

Month	Civilian employees in main industry groups(b)								Total civilian employees(b)	
	Manu- facturing (c)	Building and construc- tion	Trans- port and storage	Finance and property	Com- merce	Public authority activities (n.e.i.)	Com- munity and business services (d)	Amuse- ment, hotels, personal service, etc.	Private em- ployers	Govern- ment authori- ties
MALES										
June—										
1964	e920.9	290.0	192.5	92.1	381.2	105.7	178.3	78.2	1,762.3	707.0
1965	952.2	299.0	e197.9	96.9	392.9	110.1	186.4	83.2	e1,834.7	718.4
1966	956.3	310.1	201.8	101.7	395.8	116.5	195.7	87.9	1,862.3	745.7
1965—										
Oct.	946.3	303.2	199.3	96.2	393.9	110.8	187.4	85.6	1,839.0	718.5
Nov.	948.9	305.7	200.5	96.4	399.1	111.6	188.1	86.2	1,849.5	722.3
Dec.	946.1	303.2	201.1	97.6	400.9	112.7	188.2	88.1	1,849.4	726.7
1966—										
July	955.4	308.1	201.6	101.3	394.0	116.8	195.7	87.5	1,857.8	746.0
Aug.	954.0	306.9	202.0	101.3	394.3	117.1	196.0	88.1	1,857.6	745.9
Sept.	952.6	304.9	202.1	101.2	394.9	117.3	196.4	89.2	1,857.6	744.8
Oct.	955.0	303.0	201.8	100.9	396.2	117.7	196.5	89.8	1,860.4	744.7
Nov.	959.4	301.7	202.6	101.0	402.0	118.4	196.9	90.9	1,872.5	744.9
Dec.	957.4	299.2	202.8	102.2	405.7	119.4	197.3	92.7	1,872.8	750.0
FEMALES										
June—										
1964	277.6	5.8	18.1	60.0	221.7	39.1	255.5	86.0	815.1	176.3
1965	293.8	6.6	19.4	63.6	233.1	42.0	269.5	93.5	863.2	187.8
1966	297.5	7.1	21.0	67.6	242.3	46.2	283.5	100.0	894.9	201.5
1965—										
Oct.	297.0	6.8	19.9	63.1	239.1	43.4	272.1	97.1	878.8	189.7
Nov.	297.6	6.9	20.1	63.7	246.2	43.8	272.6	97.6	887.9	191.2
Dec.	294.8	6.9	20.3	64.6	246.7	43.9	269.8	98.5	886.3	190.5
1966—										
July	297.1	7.1	21.0	67.4	241.4	47.3	284.1	100.5	894.5	202.6
Aug.	298.0	7.1	21.0	67.3	241.5	47.9	284.8	101.4	897.1	203.2
Sept.	298.5	7.2	21.0	67.0	243.8	47.7	285.6	102.7	901.7	203.3
Oct.	301.0	7.3	21.1	66.9	246.8	47.8	285.6	103.1	907.7	203.8
Nov.	301.9	7.3	21.2	67.4	253.7	48.5	286.1	104.2	917.6	205.2
Dec.	299.3	7.3	21.2	68.3	254.5	48.6	283.0	105.2	916.5	204.2
PERSONS										
June—										
1964	e1,198.5	295.8	210.6	152.1	602.9	144.8	433.9	164.2	2,577.4	883.3
1965	1,246.1	305.6	e217.3	160.4	625.9	152.1	455.9	176.7	e2,697.9	906.2
1966	1,253.7	317.2	222.8	169.2	638.1	162.8	479.2	187.8	2,757.2	947.2
1965—										
Oct.	1,243.4	310.0	219.2	159.3	633.0	154.2	459.5	182.7	2,717.8	908.2
Nov.	1,246.4	312.5	220.6	160.1	645.4	155.3	460.7	183.7	2,737.5	913.4
Dec.	1,240.9	310.0	221.4	162.2	647.6	156.6	458.0	186.6	2,735.7	917.2
1966—										
July	1,252.4	315.3	222.6	168.7	635.4	164.0	479.9	188.0	2,752.3	948.6
Aug.	1,252.0	314.1	223.1	168.6	635.8	165.1	480.8	189.5	2,754.7	949.1
Sept.	1,251.1	312.0	223.1	168.2	638.7	165.0	482.0	191.9	2,759.3	948.1
Oct.	1,256.0	310.3	222.9	167.8	643.0	165.6	482.1	192.9	2,768.1	948.5
Nov.	1,261.3	309.1	223.8	168.5	655.7	166.9	482.9	195.2	2,790.1	950.1
Dec.	1,256.6	306.5	224.1	170.5	660.2	168.0	480.3	197.9	2,789.2	954.3

(a) The figures in this table are based on comprehensive data from the Population Census of June 1961. Estimates for months subsequent to June 1961 are derived from current Payroll Tax returns, returns of Government employment, other direct records of employment, and estimates of the number of employees not covered by these collections. (b) Employees in Rural Industry and Private Domestic Service, and Defence Forces, are excluded. (c) Includes employees engaged in selling and distribution, etc., as well as those occupied directly in manufacturing activity. (d) Includes Law and Order, Religion and Social Welfare, Health Services, Education and Other Community and Business Services. (e) Affected by industrial disputes.

WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT—STATES(a)
(^{'000})

Month	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T. (b)	Aust.
MALES									
June—									
1964.. ..	947.7	702.8	c 316.8	229.4	164.3	77.4	8.9	21.9	2,469.3
1965(c) ..	976.9	723.5	329.1	239.9	171.5	78.4	9.5	24.2	2,553.1
1966.. ..	996.7	734.3	336.7	242.3	180.4	81.1	10.5	26.0	2,608.0
1965—									
October ..	978.6	722.4	328.5	240.3	174.6	78.4	9.8	24.9	2,557.5
November ..	986.4	725.6	328.6	240.6	175.9	79.3	9.9	25.5	2,571.8
December ..	988.3	729.5	324.1	240.8	177.6	80.4	9.8	25.6	2,576.1
1966—									
April ..	995.9	736.1	332.1	243.3	180.4	81.3	10.2	26.2	2,605.5
May.. ..	997.0	735.3	334.9	243.1	180.5	81.5	10.4	26.1	2,608.9
June.. ..	996.7	734.3	336.7	242.3	180.4	81.1	10.5	26.0	2,608.0
July ..	994.5	733.1	336.9	241.7	180.3	80.8	10.6	25.9	2,603.8
August ..	994.1	733.1	336.6	241.3	180.2	81.1	10.7	26.3	2,603.5
September ..	993.8	733.7	336.1	240.5	180.2	81.0	10.7	26.2	2,602.4
October ..	995.5	735.6	334.8	240.6	180.3	81.3	10.8	26.3	2,605.1
November ..	1,001.0	739.5	334.9	241.0	181.8	82.0	10.7	26.6	2,617.4
December ..	1,004.9	744.0	329.5	241.8	182.4	82.6	10.6	27.0	2,622.8
FEMALES									
June—									
1964.. ..	390.7	300.6	115.5	86.0	58.5	27.1	3.0	10.0	991.4
1965.. ..	412.6	316.3	123.1	93.4	62.7	28.1	3.2	11.5	1,051.0
1966.. ..	427.1	328.3	128.8	97.6	68.0	29.8	3.6	13.1	1,096.4
1965—									
October ..	421.0	319.2	125.5	94.3	64.7	28.4	3.4	11.9	1,068.5
November ..	427.2	321.5	125.6	95.0	65.4	28.7	3.3	12.3	1,079.1
December ..	424.1	322.5	125.2	94.9	64.9	29.5	3.4	12.3	1,076.8
1966—									
April ..	425.8	327.4	126.9	97.0	67.8	30.0	3.6	12.9	1,091.4
May.. ..	426.1	328.4	127.5	97.0	67.9	30.0	3.6	13.0	1,093.6
June.. ..	427.1	328.3	128.8	97.6	68.0	29.8	3.6	13.1	1,096.4
July ..	427.4	328.3	129.6	97.1	68.0	29.7	3.7	13.1	1,097.1
August ..	429.2	328.8	130.1	97.1	68.4	29.7	3.7	13.4	1,100.3
September ..	432.0	329.7	130.4	97.6	68.7	29.6	3.7	13.4	1,105.0
October ..	435.6	332.0	130.6	97.5	68.9	29.8	3.7	13.4	1,111.5
November ..	440.7	334.9	131.5	98.4	69.9	29.9	3.7	13.7	1,122.8
December ..	439.7	335.3	130.5	98.2	68.6	30.8	3.7	13.9	1,120.7
PERSONS									
June—									
1964.. ..	1,338.4	1,003.3	c 432.3	315.5	222.9	104.5	11.9	31.9	3,460.7
1965(c) ..	1,389.5	1,039.8	452.2	333.3	234.2	106.5	12.7	35.7	3,604.1
1966.. ..	1,423.8	1,062.6	465.5	339.9	248.4	110.9	14.1	39.1	3,704.4
1965—									
October ..	1,399.6	1,041.6	454.0	334.6	239.3	106.8	13.2	36.8	3,626.0
November ..	1,413.6	1,047.1	454.2	335.6	241.3	108.0	13.2	37.9	3,650.9
December ..	1,412.4	1,052.0	449.3	335.7	242.5	109.9	13.2	38.0	3,652.9
1966—									
April ..	1,421.7	1,063.5	459.0	340.3	248.2	111.3	13.8	39.1	3,696.9
May.. ..	1,423.1	1,063.7	462.4	340.1	248.4	111.5	14.0	39.1	3,702.5
June.. ..	1,423.8	1,062.6	465.5	339.9	248.4	110.9	14.1	39.1	3,704.4
July ..	1,421.9	1,061.4	466.5	338.8	248.3	110.5	14.3	39.0	3,700.9
August ..	1,423.3	1,061.9	466.7	338.4	248.6	110.8	14.4	39.7	3,703.8
September ..	1,425.8	1,063.4	466.5	338.1	248.9	110.6	14.4	39.6	3,707.4
October ..	1,431.1	1,067.6	465.4	338.1	249.2	111.1	14.5	39.7	3,716.6
November ..	1,441.7	1,074.4	466.4	339.4	251.7	111.9	14.4	40.3	3,740.2
December ..	1,444.6	1,079.3	460.0	340.0	251.0	113.4	14.3	40.9	3,743.5

(a) See footnotes (a) and (b) on page 13. (b) Includes persons employed in the Australian Capital Territory who reside in adjoining areas. (c) Affected by industrial disputes.

UNEMPLOYMENT, SICKNESS AND SPECIAL BENEFITS

Average number of persons on benefit at end of each week

(For particulars of benefits paid, see page 112)

Period	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT									
Year—									
1961-62 ..	19,128	14,833	10,756	3,643	2,932	1,541	29	88	52,950
1962-63 ..	15,793	9,072	8,369	2,244	2,674	1,497	13	44	39,706
1963-64 ..	10,296	4,963	4,994	1,513	2,677	1,435	6	41	25,925
1964-65 ..	4,864	2,210	3,038	800	1,679	1,117	5	29	13,742
1965-66 ..	5,590	2,360	4,344	1,306	785	516	4	22	14,927
Quarter ended—									
September 1965	4,639	2,006	2,305	738	1,061	877	4	19	11,649
December 1965	4,366	1,929	2,921	870	652	546	3	17	11,304
March 1966 ..	6,377	2,621	7,067	1,629	783	359	4	28	18,868
June 1966 ..	6,978	2,883	5,085	1,989	644	280	6	25	17,890
September 1966	7,755	3,952	3,082	2,867	787	507	9	23	18,982
December 1966	7,145	3,176	3,901	2,902	629	450	7	26	18,234
SICKNESS BENEFIT									
Year—									
1961-62 ..	3,727	2,312	1,578	679	685	262	15	28	9,286
1962-63 ..	4,474	2,434	1,713	760	790	301	15	27	10,514
1963-64 ..	4,514	2,731	1,753	788	866	300	16	26	10,994
1964-65 ..	4,407	2,579	1,571	728	832	287	19	34	10,457
1965-66 ..	4,201	2,493	1,507	761	752	263	26	41	10,044
Quarter ended—									
September 1965	4,311	2,690	1,553	780	822	281	19	36	10,492
December 1965	4,372	2,599	1,506	767	745	267	30	44	10,330
March 1966 ..	4,123	2,299	1,476	721	700	239	27	40	9,625
June 1966 ..	3,996	2,386	1,495	778	741	264	29	42	9,731
September 1966	4,363	2,612	1,469	895	783	315	20	41	10,498
December 1966	4,363	2,548	1,475	873	739	293	17	39	10,348
SPECIAL (ORDINARY) BENEFIT(a)									
Year—									
1961-62 ..	625	957	371	135	151	96	1	3	2,339
1962-63 ..	685	1,056	381	135	129	102	1	1	2,490
1963-64 ..	737	1,063	399	141	122	118	3	1	2,584
1964-65 ..	726	1,057	366	131	106	116	2	3	2,507
1965-66 ..	678	997	367	116	107	121	..	2	2,388
Quarter ended—									
September 1965	671	1,072	336	115	112	130	1	3	2,440
December 1965	691	1,013	369	120	111	119	..	2	2,425
March 1966 ..	683	950	406	114	102	114	..	2	2,371
June 1966 ..	668	954	359	116	102	118	..	2	2,319
September 1966	666	966	323	118	99	107	1	2	2,282
December 1966	638	970	327	119	82	103	..	2	2,241

(a) In addition, the average number of migrants in reception and training centres receiving special benefits at end of each week: 1961-62, 528; 1962-63, 157; 1963-64, 100; 1964-65, 60; 1965-66, 119; quarter ended December 1966, 183.

INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES—STATES(a)

Period	Disputes	Workers involved			Working days lost		Estimated loss in wages (\$'000)
		Directly	In-directly (b)	Total	Number	Average per worker involved	
NEW SOUTH WALES							
Year—							
1964	828	221,510	7,566	229,076	320,568	1.40	2,996.2
1965	832	244,900	6,156	251,056	367,942	1.47	3,479.1
Quarter ended—							
June 1965	169	43,888	1,411	45,299	54,554	1.20	526.7
September 1965	293	102,429	2,654	105,083	172,551	1.64	1,595.6
December 1965	188	35,365	1,391	36,756	57,700	1.57	551.8
March 1966	216	32,516	1,367	33,883	65,223	1.92	712.6
June 1966	210	64,304	613	64,917	90,876	1.40	907.9
September 1966	223	56,169	246	56,415	114,679	2.03	1,122.1
VICTORIA							
Year—							
1964	206	188,836	1,239	190,075	359,567	1.89	3,428.2
1965	208	118,534	3,264	121,798	214,300	1.76	2,061.6
Quarter ended—							
June 1965	54	45,701	..	45,701	53,679	1.17	506.5
September 1965	70	42,658	1,935	44,593	81,704	1.83	807.8
December 1965	34	8,024	550	8,574	48,084	5.61	448.4
March 1966	34	61,367	288	61,655	119,563	1.94	1,135.8
June 1966	57	16,627	1,432	18,059	42,508	2.35	378.1
September 1966	48	15,966	145	16,111	42,853	2.66	433.1
QUEENSLAND							
Year—							
1964	198	84,951	7,745	92,696	157,571	1.70	1,453.3
1965	186	48,328	5,241	53,569	189,941	3.55	2,221.2
Quarter ended—							
June 1965	42	9,558	1,514	11,072	27,260	2.46	299.1
September 1965	68	20,542	955	21,497	25,091	1.17	239.2
December 1965	36	4,170	613	4,783	9,019	1.89	92.9
March 1966	39	40,785	550	41,335	28,902	0.70	287.1
June 1966	41	8,766	616	9,382	14,768	1.57	156.4
September 1966	47	8,914	273	9,187	11,781	1.28	131.6
SOUTH AUSTRALIA							
Year—							
1964	55	22,851	189	23,040	62,785	2.73	585.2
1965	48	28,323	143	28,466	26,379	0.93	253.3
Quarter ended—							
June 1965	13	5,229	120	5,349	4,228	0.79	42.8
September 1965	8	4,584	..	4,584	3,620	0.79	36.8
December 1965	10	5,841	23	5,864	6,876	1.17	71.8
March 1966	10	1,696	..	1,696	6,557	3.87	59.9
June 1966	10	2,139	..	2,139	6,227	2.91	55.9
September 1966	15	3,649	63	3,712	6,432	1.73	67.3

For footnotes see page 19.

Industrial Disputes—States(a)—continued

Period	Disputes	Workers involved			Working days lost		Estimated loss in wages (\$'000)	
		Directly	Indirectly (b)	Total	Number	Average per worker involved		
WESTERN AUSTRALIA								
Year—								
1964	26	6,093	72	6,165	7,148	1.16	62.6	
1965	33	12,611	..	12,611	10,020	0.79	100.8	
Quarter ended—								
June 1965	6	3,202	..	3,202	2,437	0.76	24.6	
September 1965	9	2,502	..	2,502	3,063	1.22	27.8	
December 1965	7	2,221	..	2,221	1,250	0.56	15.4	
March 1966	5	258	..	258	335	1.30	3.5	
June 1966	11	1,605	16	1,621	5,142	3.17	54.0	
September 1966	3	76	..	76	160	2.11	1.7	
TASMANIA								
Year—								
1964	8	1,898	..	1,898	1,939	1.02	18.0	
1965	17	5,131	..	5,131	3,894	0.76	41.4	
Quarter ended—								
June 1965	4	1,066	..	1,066	440	0.41	4.5	
September 1965	3	1,151	..	1,151	1,049	0.91	11.0	
December 1965	4	265	..	265	135	0.51	1.2	
March 1966	6	170	..	170	525	3.09	6.1	
June 1966	2	211	..	211	317	1.50	4.3	
September 1966	4	464	..	464	431	0.93	5.9	
AUSTRALIA(c)								
Year—								
1964	1,334	528,817	16,811	545,628	911,358	1.67	8,560.9	
1965	1,346	460,234	14,810	475,044	815,869	1.72	8,198.5	
Quarter ended—								
June 1965	293	109,002	3,045	112,047	142,925	1.28	1,408.0	
September 1965	461	175,582	5,550	181,132	288,602	1.59	2,735.4	
December 1965	281	56,060	2,577	58,637	124,246	2.12	1,197.8	
March 1966	311	136,810	2,205	139,015	221,141	1.59	2,205.3	
June 1966	334	93,823	2,677	96,500	160,249	1.66	1,564.3	
September 1966	341	85,267	727	85,994	176,452	2.05	1,763.0	

For footnotes see page 19.

INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES: INDUSTRY GROUPS—AUSTRALIA(a)

Period	Mining and quarrying		Manufacturing	Building and construction	Transport		Other groups	All groups
	Coal mining	Other			Stevedoring	Other		

NUMBER

Year—								
1961	235	9	270	101	151	37	12	815
1962	299	5	498	135	180	45	21	1,183
1963	222	9	489	146	312	49	23	1,250
1964	223	7	577	140	317	44	26	1,334
1965	208	7	554	196	271	63	47	1,346
Quarter ended—								
June 1965 ..	37	1	115	40	78	14	8	293
September 1965	65	1	195	69	104	15	12	461
December 1965	68	2	111	47	20	22	11	281
March 1966 ..	49	4	153	65	16	17	7	311
June 1966 ..	67	1	174	59	5	13	15	334
September 1966	57	8	170	76	7	18	5	341

TOTAL WORKERS INVOLVED (DIRECTLY AND INDIRECTLY)

Year—								
1961	41,097	6,271	123,853	21,872	61,092	39,591	6,581	300,357
1962	38,262	2,091	132,194	27,728	121,245	29,675	2,658	353,853
1963	29,059	4,513	186,641	23,809	118,438	37,928	12,320	412,708
1964	35,314	9,084	218,478	41,393	149,483	78,202	13,674	545,628
1965	35,198	3,818	143,048	30,223	181,857	65,853	15,047	475,044
Quarter ended—								
June 1965 ..	4,476	76	22,312	6,878	65,024	11,042	2,239	112,047
September 1965	9,782	1,847	61,190	5,472	68,249	29,387	5,205	181,132
December 1965	15,399	97	21,385	8,698	1,386	6,549	5,123	58,637
March 1966 ..	8,305	6,528	65,408	30,135	2,106	20,153	6,380	139,015
June 1966 ..	14,826	119	47,821	20,159	196	2,428	10,951	96,500
September 1966	8,808	1,493	53,145	18,620	2,128	1,438	362	85,994

TOTAL WORKING DAYS LOST

Year—								
1961	70,767	113,107	266,465	48,302	61,467	32,281	14,422	606,811
1962	43,739	2,796	293,618	49,376	86,571	28,292	4,363	508,755
1963	45,914	4,807	343,505	52,915	95,050	25,623	13,754	581,568
1964	34,261	31,066	528,910	68,882	113,556	117,268	17,415	911,358
1965	50,993	122,230	296,581	55,964	155,520	105,247	29,334	815,869
Quarter ended—								
June 1965 ..	6,353	10,815	58,104	8,157	45,597	10,778	3,121	142,925
September 1965	13,155	1,847	127,424	15,238	72,064	54,688	4,186	288,602
December 1965	24,610	919	43,109	12,238	1,674	21,873	19,823	124,246
March 1966 ..	9,675	9,943	100,417	48,085	1,211	44,256	7,554	221,141
June 1966 ..	22,350	5,824	80,517	37,958	87	2,279	11,234	160,249
September 1966	18,935	2,597	123,688	27,251	700	2,287	994	176,452

For footnotes see page 19.

Industrial Disputes: Industry Groups—Australia(a)—continued

Period	Mining and quarrying		Manufacturing	Building and construction	Transport		Other groups	All groups
	Coal mining	Other			Stevedoring	Other		

ESTIMATED LOSS IN WAGES

(\$'000)

Year—								
1961	603.8	1,448.7	2,081.6	458.5	491.3	257.2	106.5	5,447.6
1962	375.5	27.5	2,399.8	446.6	735.7	227.4	31.7	4,244.1
1963	419.0	42.3	2,907.2	497.2	830.2	203.6	92.1	4,991.5
1964	334.4	403.1	4,888.0	653.2	1,129.6	1,013.7	139.0	8,560.9
1965	493.9	1,571.9	2,766.2	592.3	1,591.8	917.0	265.4	8,198.5
Quarter ended—								
June 1965 ..	63.6	138.5	534.6	83.5	464.8	96.0	26.9	1,408.0
September 1965	126.8	31.0	1,191.2	169.4	740.8	437.6	38.6	2,735.4
December 1965	235.6	10.6	399.8	138.8	17.2	215.3	180.6	1,197.8
March 1966 ..	92.9	164.3	955.4	474.4	12.5	437.2	68.5	2,205.3
June 1966 ..	218.7	96.9	733.6	416.7	0.9	20.2	77.3	1,564.3
September 1966	179.6	29.4	1,210.0	299.9	7.6	27.9	8.8	1,763.0

(a) Refers only to disputes involving a stoppage of work of ten man-days or more. (b) Persons thrown out of work at the establishments where the stoppages occurred but not themselves parties to the dispute. (c) Includes the Northern Territory and the Australian Capital Territory.

NOTE: Disputes not settled at the end of a year are included as new disputes in the figures for the following year. Disputes not settled at the end of a quarter are not counted in the number of disputes for the following quarter, but additional workers involved and working days and wages lost are included.

TRADE UNIONS

Number and Membership

Year	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T. (a)	A.C.T. (a)	Aust.
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NUMBER OF SEPARATE UNIONS

									(b)
1961	226	156	133	134	152	103	24	34	355
1962	222	155	135	133	152	103	23	38	347
1963	227	154	137	134	154	103	30	54	347
1964	223	157	141	137	154	111	30	59	340
1965	222	156	140	137	155	109	33	64	334

NUMBER OF MEMBERS ('000)

1961	743.5	486.8	329.8	151.5	115.0	56.9	2.9	8.2	1,894.6
1962	765.5	498.0	334.0	160.4	121.0	57.3	3.3	11.0	1,950.5
1963	782.7	514.9	339.4	161.1	129.0	57.4	3.3	15.7	2,003.5
1964	795.1	525.8	350.6	166.9	135.1	59.9	3.4	18.0	2,054.8
1965	825.8	537.8	353.3	174.0	139.2	63.4	3.5	19.1	2,116.2

(a) In some cases, union members in the Territories associated with State organisations are reported under the heading of that State. The annual figures reflect, in part, progressive movements to more accurate reporting and the comparability of totals for the Territories is affected by this aspect. (b) Without interstate duplication. The State figures do not add to the Australian total because a union represented in more than one State is included in the figure for each State in which it is represented, but is counted only once in the Australian total.

Trade Unions—continued

Industry Groups—Australia(a)

Industry group	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965
NUMBER OF SEPARATE UNIONS(b)					
Agriculture, grazing, etc.	3	3	3	3	3
Mining and quarrying	12	12	12	12	12
Manufacturing—					
Engineering, metals, vehicles, etc. ..	13	12	12	12	11
Textiles, clothing and footwear	7	7	7	6	6
Food, drink and tobacco	34	34	34	33	32
Sawmilling, furniture, etc.	7	6	6	6	6
Paper, printing, etc.	6	6	6	6	6
Other manufacturing	32	31	31	29	28
Total Manufacturing	99	96	96	92	89
Building and construction	28	28	25	24	24
Railway and tramway services	25	25	25	24	24
Road and air transport	10	11	10	11	11
Shipping and stevedoring	14	14	14	14	14
Banking, insurance and clerical	19	19	19	17	15
Wholesale and retail trade	11	11	12	12	12
Public authority (n.e.i.), etc.(c)	73	70	70	72	71
Amusement, hotels, personal service, etc. ..	23	22	23	22	22
Other industries(d)	38	36	38	37	37
Total	355	347	347	340	334

NUMBER OF MEMBERS ('000)

Agriculture, grazing, etc.	61.4	60.7	60.8	63.3	63.9
Mining and quarrying	35.3	35.4	35.0	35.2	35.9
Manufacturing—					
Engineering, metals, vehicles, etc. ..	291.5	294.6	301.5	312.8	328.0
Textiles, clothing and footwear	95.2	105.4	107.7	109.9	113.7
Food, drink and tobacco	128.0	130.4	136.7	130.9	130.0
Sawmilling, furniture, etc.	42.0	39.1	39.7	39.5	39.5
Paper, printing, etc.	51.8	52.1	53.4	53.2	54.7
Other manufacturing	82.6	87.1	90.8	95.0	95.1
Total Manufacturing	691.1	708.7	729.8	741.3	761.1
Building and construction	143.9	145.5	144.9	146.9	150.9
Railway and tramway services	133.8	134.7	133.8	131.2	132.0
Road and air transport	58.4	63.7	66.2	68.0	71.7
Shipping and stevedoring	35.1	34.0	33.3	35.1	35.4
Banking, insurance and clerical	118.9	121.2	126.4	132.8	137.3
Wholesale and retail trade	75.7	79.7	84.2	86.3	86.2
Public authority (n.e.i.), etc.(c)	341.0	354.0	374.0	389.2	405.9
Amusement, hotels, personal service, etc. ..	51.4	54.5	54.1	54.8	56.3
Other industries(d)	148.6	158.4	161.0	170.6	179.6
Total	1,894.6	1,950.5	2,003.5	2,054.8	2,116.2

(a) This table does not supply a precise classification of trade union members by industry, because wherever members of a union are employed in a number of industries they have been classified to the predominant industry for the union concerned. (b) Without interstate duplication. See footnote (b) second table page 19. (c) Includes Communication and Municipal, etc. (d) Includes Community and Business Services.

SECTION III. PRIMARY AND SECONDARY INDUSTRIES

WHEAT FOR GRAIN—AREA, PRODUCTION AND YIELD PER ACRE

Season	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	A.C.T.	Aust.
AREA (⁰ 000 acres)								
1961-62 ..	4,498	2,849	750	2,229	4,380	16	1	14,723
1962-63 ..	5,008	3,125	919	2,595	4,804	15	3	16,469
1963-64 ..	4,964	3,109	938	2,802	4,640	18	3	16,474
1964-65 ..	5,760	3,236	1,026	2,727	5,151	17	2	17,919
1965-66p ..	4,577	3,074	954	2,745	6,150	14	1	17,515
PRODUCTION (⁰ 000 bushels)								
1961-62 ..	78,350	56,879	12,018	33,854	65,700	345	32	247,178
1962-63 ..	109,002	67,899	18,683	38,339	72,500	419	70	306,912
1963-64 ..	122,472	76,302	22,275	53,971	52,340	483	69	327,912
1964-65 ..	151,483	78,166	22,830	52,817	63,071	364	58	368,789
1965-66p ..	39,119	60,591	17,429	39,976	102,156	368	28	259,668
YIELD PER ACRE (Bushels)								
1961-62 ..	17.4	20.0	16.0	15.2	15.0	22.2	22.7	16.8
1962-63 ..	21.8	21.7	20.3	14.8	15.1	27.3	29.3	18.6
1963-64 ..	24.7	24.5	23.8	19.3	11.3	27.5	24.6	19.9
1964-65 ..	26.3	24.2	22.3	19.4	12.2	21.7	27.6	20.6
1965-66p ..	8.5	19.7	18.3	14.6	16.6	26.1	20.8	14.8

TOTAL AREA OF WHEAT GROWN FOR ALL PURPOSES

(⁰000 acres)

Season	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	A.C.T.	Aust.
1961-62 ..	4,744	2,880	820	2,270	4,434	20	1	15,169
1962-63 ..	5,242	3,162	981	2,645	4,860	16	3	16,909
1963-64 ..	5,151	3,138	1,002	2,849	4,679	19	3	16,841
1964-65 ..	5,929	3,259	1,078	2,772	5,200	18	2	18,258
1965-66p ..	4,794	3,114	1,066	2,798	6,196	15	1	17,984

OTHER PRINCIPAL CROPS—AUSTRALIA

Season	Grain			Potatoes	Hay	Sugar Cane		Total area of crops
	Oats	Barley	Maize			Cut for crushing	Cane sugar (94 N.T.)	

AREA
(⁰000 acres)

1961-62 ..	3,097	2,383	211	94	2,274	387	..	29,639
1962-63 ..	3,292	2,027	209	114	2,720	402	..	32,092
1963-64 ..	3,392	2,013	215	102	2,602	418	..	32,045
1964-65 ..	3,497	2,064	212	88	2,793	470	..	34,665
1965-66p ..	3,768	2,298	197	97	2,780	503	..	34,506

PRODUCTION

	⁰ 00 bushels	⁰ 00 bushels	⁰ 00 bushels	⁰ 00 tons	⁰ 00 tons	⁰ 00 tons	⁰ 00 tons	
1961-62 ..	55,130	41,504	7,307	526	3,693	9,577	1,383	..
1962-63 ..	68,809	39,579	7,457	667	4,717	12,736	1,850	..
1963-64 ..	68,234	43,395	6,722	562	4,269	12,118	1,724	..
1964-65 ..	70,043	49,315	6,879	508	4,963	15,070	1,950	..
1965-66p ..	60,939	41,835	4,916	639	4,178	14,155	2,272	..

NUMBER OF PRINCIPAL LIVESTOCK
(^{'000})

31 March—	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.(a)	A.C.T.	Aust.
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HORSES

1962 ..	168	61	217	25	40	9	41	1	562
1963 ..	166	58	212	25	39	8	38	1	547
1964 ..	163	56	206	(b) 25	39	8	38	1	(c) 536
1965 ..	158	56	201	(b) 24	37	7	36	1	(c) 520
1966p	151	n.a.	190	n.a.	35	n.a.	39	1	n.a.

CATTLE

1962 ..	4,399	3,156	7,098	660	1,218	425	1,063	14	18,033
1963 ..	4,569	3,225	7,233	679	1,298	444	1,087	14	18,549
1964 ..	4,789	3,301	7,402	694	1,299	450	1,105	15	19,055
1965 ..	4,619	3,316	7,393	697	1,258	451	1,068	14	18,816
1966p	4,153	3,397	6,888	690	1,271	492	1,032	13	17,936

SHEEP

1962 ..	69,498	27,533	22,125	16,415	18,314	3,531	10	286	157,712
1963 ..	70,021	27,472	22,811	15,737	18,727	3,570	9	279	158,626
1964 ..	71,764	28,413	24,337	16,403	20,165	3,600	10	289	164,981
1965 ..	72,396	30,437	24,016	17,289	22,392	3,793	9	290	170,622
1966p	61,396	30,968	18,384	17,993	24,427	4,127	9	258	157,563

PIGS

1962 ..	471	325	433	170	174	76	3	..	1,652
1963 ..	392	298	402	145	131	70	2	..	1,440
1964 ..	391	322	388	154	128	83	2	..	1,468
1965 ..	449	378	406	196	137	92	2	..	1,660
1966p	480	384	417	224	144	96	2	..	1,746

(a) At 30 June. (b) Estimated. (c) See footnote (b) to South Australia.

PRODUCTION OF WOOL (GREASY BASIS)
(^{'000} lb)

Season	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
1960-61 ..	664,276	322,011	235,590	177,413	191,353	31,870	157	2,471	1,625,141
1961-62 ..	701,168	330,716	230,333	206,985	192,161	34,469	98	2,645	1,698,575
1962-63 ..	693,734	316,705	233,638	207,344	184,123	34,561	100	2,343	1,672,548
1963-64 ..	731,316	334,288	255,386	210,500	216,574	34,007	91	2,552	1,784,714
1964-65 ..	706,061	361,530	251,426	215,736	207,035	39,671	89	2,475	1,784,023
1965-66p ..	579,475	366,569	192,773	232,296	247,312	41,858	94	1,873	1,662,250

RECEIPTS AND SALES OF WOOL BY WOOL SELLING BROKERS AND STOCKS OF UNSOLD WOOL HELD IN BROKERS' STORES

(Source: National Council of Wool Selling Brokers of Australia)

Period	Receipts of first hand wool into store	Sales						Unsold wool in store at end of period
		Greasy			Scoured			
Year—	Bales(a)	Weight '000 lb	Value \$'000	Av. value c per lb	Weight '000 lb	Value \$'000	Av. value c per lb	Bales(a)
1961-62 ..	4,798,351	1,489,251	671,735	45.11	8,859	5,444	61.45	187,683
1962-63 ..	4,692,797	1,454,925	714,904	49.13	7,785	4,488	57.64	162,963
1963-64 ..	4,995,980	1,532,337	890,026	58.08	6,290	4,539	72.16	210,866
1964-65 ..	5,089,654	1,537,971	735,683	47.83	3,790	2,335	61.62	273,378
1965-66 ..	4,509,726	1,416,160	709,184	50.08	3,218	1,717	53.37	195,793
Six months ended Dec.—								
1965 ..	3,213,887	676,780	329,444	48.67	2,047	1,086	53.07	1,293,549
1966 ..	3,281,941	718,626	353,411	49.18	948	535	56.49	1,182,467

(a) Bales of approximately 300 lb weight.

PRODUCTION OF MILK AND MILK PRODUCTS

Period	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
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WHOLE MILK FOR ALL PURPOSES

('000 gal)

Year—									
1961-62 ..	344,724	630,948	239,823	95,504	58,240	73,206	n.a.	1,117	1,443,562
1962-63 ..	324,113	667,562	245,067	95,378	56,029	78,518	n.a.	1,090	1,467,757
1963-64 ..	322,547	694,990	239,827	97,523	57,162	83,124	76	1,146	1,496,395
1964-65 ..	291,931	745,896	230,289	102,330	61,883	87,343	98	1,094	1,520,864
1965-66p ..	307,015	736,661	218,681	99,897	61,799	87,890	92	1,026	1,513,061
Five months ended Nov.—									
1965p ..	128,836	382,942	84,296	52,735	36,215	46,083	40	419	731,566
1966p ..	139,563	418,060	96,751	52,600	31,135	46,930	40	452	785,531

BUTTER (Factory Production)

('000 lb)

Year—									
1961-62 ..	87,346	214,254	79,841	16,629	16,762	27,022	..	..	441,853
1962-63 ..	80,568	227,207	81,661	16,395	15,596	29,338	..	..	450,765
1963-64 ..	80,880	231,499	79,220	16,587	15,491	30,615	..	..	454,292
1964-65 ..	67,081	248,506	73,546	17,215	17,387	31,143	..	..	454,878
1965-66p ..	73,901	250,594	70,189	16,160	18,053	31,370	..	..	460,267
Five months ended Nov.—									
1965p ..	30,759	134,599	25,878	8,864	12,202	16,779	..	..	229,081
1966p ..	35,543	146,731	29,955	8,258	9,562	16,869	..	..	246,917

Production of Milk and Milk Products—continued

Period	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
CHEESE (Factory Production) ('000 lb)									
Year—									
1961-62 ..	13,806	53,579	20,101	32,835	3,056	1,355	..	..	124,732
1962-63 ..	12,365	57,274	22,851	33,967	3,223	1,440	..	..	131,120
1963-64 ..	12,142	56,397	21,263	34,236	3,373	2,994	..	..	130,405
1964-65 ..	9,785	60,975	19,095	38,836	4,051	5,265	..	..	138,008
1965-66p ..	9,088	58,157	17,620	35,906	2,657	6,586	..	..	130,014
Five months ended Nov.—									
1965p ..	4,176	30,511	7,114	21,827	1,776	3,726	..	..	69,130
1966p ..	4,933	33,974	9,465	23,833	2,443	4,678	..	..	79,327

PRESERVED MILK PRODUCTS: AUSTRALIA
('000 lb)

Period	Condensed, concentrated and evaporated milk			Ice cream mixes		Infants' and invalids' food(c)	Casein	Total powdered milk
	Full cream		Skim					
	Sweet-ened(a)	Unsweet-ened(b)		Liquid	Powder			
Year—								
1961-62 ..	63,299	65,694	13,168	8,228	1,360	38,137	30,356	147,829
1962-63 ..	75,533	64,409	19,203	8,612	1,341	38,465	36,236	154,680
1963-64 ..	95,744	71,964	25,712	11,896	973	44,105	37,360	156,017
1964-65 ..	102,479	89,390	21,936	10,810	773	45,179	39,768	172,377
1965-66p ..	70,454	76,355	20,958	15,970	565	45,557	r50,744	r183,183
Five months ended Nov.—								
1965p ..	37,700	40,720	8,489	4,444	n.a.	20,110	29,104	92,264
1966p ..	33,537	42,719	10,431	8,684	n.a.	22,164	27,301	130,324

(a) Includes 'Coffee and Milk'. (b) Includes (i) Whole (10 per cent Butterfat or more), (ii) Less than 10 per cent Butterfat. (c) Includes Malted Milk and Milk Sugar (Lactose).

PRODUCTION OF MEAT (CARCASS WEIGHT)
(Tons)

Period	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
BEEF (including Veal)									
Year—									
1961-62 ..	233,582	176,058	278,115	30,061	47,406	19,674	4,523	1,637	791,056
1962-63 ..	263,054	213,908	313,786	36,420	55,934	23,694	5,061	2,080	913,937
1963-64 ..	286,417	227,877	327,481	39,759	66,025	25,909	9,872	2,158	985,498
1964-65 ..	303,419	246,129	326,128	37,268	56,983	26,270	8,664	2,179	1,007,040
1965-66p ..	245,192	234,639	313,914	36,513	58,268	23,146	8,740	1,795	922,207
Five months ended Nov.—									
1965p ..	79,932	91,497	141,695	14,899	27,040	8,680	3,442	710	367,895
1966p ..	85,492	93,120	134,841	16,781	24,558	9,664	4,171	679	369,306

Production of Meat (Carcass Weight)—*continued*

Period	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
MUTTON									
Year—									
1961-62 ..	107,821	152,117	35,287	33,587	28,248	10,066	65	793	367,984
1962-63 ..	103,687	153,328	30,656	34,947	29,399	9,462	68	1,112	362,659
1963-64 ..	107,199	149,341	35,077	32,475	24,516	10,926	72	1,078	360,684
1964-65 ..	105,678	146,243	41,859	32,916	24,411	9,079	88	1,032	361,306
1965-66p ..	103,737	150,119	40,855	39,459	31,383	11,609	82	881	378,125
Five months ended Nov.—									
1965p ..	38,935	53,329	18,095	15,555	12,853	3,871	61	352	143,051
1966p ..	31,697	61,041	13,335	16,935	13,197	3,937	18	248	140,408

LAMB									
Year—									
1961-62 ..	89,023	77,605	5,052	21,803	14,449	10,163	..	634	218,729
1962-63 ..	95,186	84,317	4,827	23,972	11,837	9,924	..	737	230,800
1963-64 ..	94,858	82,428	5,132	20,389	12,174	9,153	..	908	225,042
1964-65 ..	89,558	84,075	6,125	22,476	11,428	9,044	..	824	223,530
1965-66p ..	80,249	77,250	4,918	21,279	12,196	9,476	..	636	206,004
Five months ended Nov.—									
1965p ..	29,325	29,695	1,723	11,217	6,453	3,736	..	245	82,394
1966p ..	37,332	37,343	2,108	10,503	6,376	3,762	..	293	97,717

PIGMEAT									
Year—									
1961-62 ..	32,677	27,406	29,802	11,558	13,180	5,428	86	326	120,463
1962-63 ..	30,283	25,086	29,619	11,810	11,731	5,461	69	328	114,387
1963-64 ..	28,717	25,306	29,919	11,163	9,852	5,927	73	326	111,283
1964-65 ..	31,509	28,048	31,259	12,656	9,861	6,585	90	218	120,226
1965-66p ..	35,187	33,538	31,518	15,223	10,370	7,013	105	428	133,382
Five months ended Nov.—									
1965p ..	14,804	13,480	13,405	6,409	4,686	2,668	41	183	55,676
1966p ..	15,465	14,255	13,812	7,032	4,969	2,799	33	179	58,544

TOTAL IN TERMS OF FRESH MEAT

Year—									
1961-62 ..	463,103	433,186	348,256	97,009	103,283	45,331	4,674	3,390	1,498,232
1962-63 ..	492,210	476,639	378,888	107,149	108,901	48,541	5,198	4,257	1,621,783
1963-64 ..	517,191	484,952	397,609	103,786	112,567	51,915	10,017	4,470	1,682,507
1964-65 ..	530,164	504,495	405,371	105,316	102,683	50,000	8,842	4,253	1,712,102
1965-66p ..	464,365	495,546	391,205	112,474	112,217	51,244	8,927	3,740	1,639,718
Five months ended Nov.—									
1965p ..	162,996	188,001	174,918	48,080	51,032	18,955	3,544	1,490	649,016
1966p ..	169,986	205,759	164,096	51,251	49,100	20,162	4,222	1,399	665,975

MINING AND QUARRYING—VALUE OF OUTPUT^(a)
(\$'000)

Industry and year	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T. and A.C.T.	Aust.
1965								
Metal mining—								
Gold ..	6	(b)	(b)	..	22,542	..	2,320	26,031
Silver-Lead-Zinc ..	98,061	..	51,717	1	372	(b)	1	156,425
Copper-Gold ..	1,156	4	3,713	10	359	(b)	4,775	19,310
Tin ..	3,535	24	..	..	1,548	3,446	74	12,340
Mineral Sands ..	15,137	..	5,582	..	4,448	..	..	25,167
Other metal ..	257	(b)	(b)	11,760	6,965	(b)	10	25,401
Total metal mining ..	118,152	727	65,262	11,771	36,234	25,349	7,180	264,675
Fuel mining—								
Black coal ..	112,103	516	23,092	3,264	4,299	430	..	143,704
Brown coal ..	..	18,435	..	..	..	..	..	18,435
Other fuel ..	..	..	5 345	..	..	..	..	5,345
Total fuel mining ..	112,103	18,951	28,437	3,264	4,299	430	..	167,484
Non-metal (excl. fuel) mining ..	8,229	4,800	2,365	10,405	2,766	744	1	29,309
Construction material quarrying ..	28,372	24,447	2,900	14,026	7,840	2,475	2,112	82,172
Total all mining and quarrying ..	266,857	48,924	98,964	39,466	51,139	28,998	9,293	543,642
Total—1964 ..	232,708	44,892	97,286	38,938	45,366	25,048	7,972	492,208
1963 ..	185,352	40,840	84,084	34,208	44,768	20,304	7,126	416,682
1962 ..	159,928	40,016	74,198	30,774	46,490	17,806	5,926	375,138
1961 ..	156,342	40,054	64,440	31,824	44,992	15,918	6,732	360,302

(a) Selling value at point of sale of mine or quarry product less transport costs from mine or quarry to point of sale (i.e. value of output at mine or quarry). (b) Not available for publication.

MINE PRODUCTION OF PRINCIPAL MINERALS

State or Territory and year	Principal metallic contents of minerals produced								Coal	
	Copper	Lead	Zinc	Tin	Aluminium(a)	Iron (b)	Titanium(c)	Gold	Black	Brown
	tons	'000 tons	'000 tons	tons	'000 tons	'000 tons	'000 tons	'000 f. oz	'000 tons	'000 tons

Six months ended June 1966p

New South Wales	3,520	131	123	671	3	..	82	4	11,739	..
Victoria ..	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	10	16	10,591
Queensland ..	36,218	33	22	770	232	..	34	71	2,283	..
South Australia ..	3	..	..	..	..	1,453	..	..	976	..
Western Australia	430	1	1	219	135	1,071	145	323	496	..
Tasmania ..	8,575	8	25	491	..	..	..	18	41	..
Northern Territory	5,034	..	..	10	..	..	..	43	..	..
Australia ..	53,780	173	170	2,168	369	2,524	260	470	15,550	10,591

Year, 1965p

New South Wales	5,211	297	271	1,124	4	..	159	10	24,130	..
Victoria ..	8	..	..	8	1	..	..	18	42	20,712
Queensland ..	60,159	50	31	1,200	382	..	52	77	4,223	..
South Australia ..	23	..	..	..	..	2,812	..	..	2,016	..
Western Australia	795	1	1	468	225	1,485	241	656	994	..
Tasmania ..	15,168	14	46	1,043	..	..	..	33	102	..
Northern Territory	9,502	..	..	28	..	..	..	85	..	..
Australia ..	90,866	362	349	3,871	612	4,297	452	879	31,506	20,712
Australia—										
1964.. ..	104,050	375	345	3,642	396	3,655	343	964	27,401	19,035
1963.. ..	112,967	410	351	2,860	154	3,558	288	1,024	24,856	18,456
1962.. ..	106,972	370	338	2,715	13	3,119	215	1,069	24,470	17,137
1961.. ..	95,626	270	311	2,745	7	3,434	192	1,076	24,006	16,279

(a) In terms of Al_2O_3 . (b) Excludes iron content of iron oxide not intended for metal extraction. (c) In terms of TiO_2 contained in rutile, ilmenite and leucosene.

MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES

AUSTRALIA(a)

Year	Factories	Persons employed (b)	Salaries and wages paid (c)	Value of power, fuel, etc., used (d)	Value of materials used (e)	Value of production (f)	Value of output (g)	Value of plant, machinery, land and buildings (h)
			\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
1960-61 ..	57,782	1,145,352	2,289.2	378.5	5,737.4	4,349.8	10,465.8	5,174.7
1961-62 ..	58,450	1,121,270	2,286.6	383.6	5,729.9	4,394.6	10,508.1	5,861.7
1962-63 ..	59,147	1,167,553	2,446.7	404.5	6,283.6	4,795.2	11,483.3	6,293.4
1963-64 ..	59,375	1,209,920	2,651.6	437.2	6,935.5	5,270.0	12,642.7	6,685.5
1964-65 ..	61,042	1,268,935	2,993.7	466.6	7,674.0	5,897.1	14,037.7	7,274.3

(a) Prior to 1 July 1964 excludes Northern Territory and Australian Capital Territory. (b) Average over whole year; includes working proprietors. (c) Excludes amounts drawn by working proprietors. (d) Includes water and lubricating oil. (e) Includes also containers, etc., tools replaced and repairs to plant. (f) Value added in process of manufacture (i.e. value of output less value of materials and fuel used). (g) Value of goods produced, including amounts received for work done. (h) Depreciated or book value at end of year, including estimated value of rented premises and machinery.

STATES

	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
1962-63							
Factories	23,729	17,501	5,895	5,766	4,492	1,764	59,147
Persons employed(b)	475,249	397,851	104,998	105,265	53,435	30,755	1,167,553
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Salaries, wages paid(c)	1,027.2	838.9	195.8	220.1	99.9	64.8	2,446.7
Value of fuel, etc., used(d)	197.5	103.6	35.2	32.1	21.7	14.4	404.5
Value of materials used(e)	2,629.6	2,001.5	713.7	502.9	279.8	156.1	6,283.6
Value of production(f)	2,074.9	1,601.8	381.0	379.1	216.4	142.0	4,795.2
Value of output(g)	4,902.0	3,706.9	1,129.9	914.1	517.9	312.5	11,483.3
Value of land and buildings(h)	1,379.5	954.1	193.5	213.0	102.9	163.9	3,006.8
Value of plant and machinery(h)	1,438.4	1,003.4	280.6	293.6	132.6	137.9	3,286.5
1963-64							
Factories	23,642	17,597	5,955	5,826	4,609	1,746	59,375
Persons employed(b)	487,753	413,120	110,696	110,813	55,705	31,833	1,209,920
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Salaries, wages paid(c)	1,101.0	912.4	218.8	240.3	108.5	70.6	2,651.6
Value of fuel, etc., used(d)	210.2	114.6	37.5	34.8	23.7	16.4	437.2
Value of materials used(e)	2,859.6	2,190.4	812.9	599.7	300.8	172.1	6,935.5
Value of production(f)	2,267.9	1,749.8	441.9	427.3	230.5	152.6	5,270.0
Value of output(g)	5,337.7	4,054.8	1,292.3	1,061.8	555.0	341.1	12,642.7
Value of land and buildings(h)	1,454.5	1,020.8	211.5	230.6	118.8	168.4	3,204.7
Value of plant and machinery(h)	1,504.2	1,040.7	308.3	330.3	155.5	141.7	3,480.7

For footnotes (b) to (h) see table above.

Manufacturing Industries—continued

STATES AND TERRITORIES

1964-65

	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
Factories	24,368	17,925	5,962	5,887	4,734	1,805	174	187	61,042
Persons employed(b) ..	508,979	432,413	116,246	116,183	58,097	32,580	1,210	3,227	1,268,935
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Salaries, wages paid(c) ..	1,230.0	1,028.5	252.4	274.3	120.0	76.5	3.5	8.7	2,993.7
Value of fuel, etc., used(d) ..	217.5	125.2	38.7	39.3	26.0	18.3	0.9	0.6	466.6
Value of materials used(e) ..	3,212.7	2,426.0	824.7	668.9	329.7	196.0	4.5	11.4	7,674.0
Value of production(f) ..	2,521.5	1,949.7	478.4	498.6	260.6	167.3	6.7	14.4	5,897.1
Value of output(g) ..	5,951.7	4,500.8	1,341.9	1,206.8	616.4	381.5	12.1	26.4	14,037.7
Value of land and buildings(h) ..	1,539.2	1,105.7	237.4	256.5	131.7	209.0	6.8	21.6	3,508.0
Value of plant and machinery (h)	1,564.4	1,127.9	350.3	388.9	163.5	155.3	6.1	9.7	3,766.3

For footnotes (b) to (h) see previous page.

Value of Production(a)—Australia(b)
(\$'000)

Class of industry	1961-62	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65
1. Treatment of non-metalliferous mine and quarry products	122,474	129,956	148,204	167,026
2. Bricks, pottery, glass, etc.	93,219	100,100	113,729	132,067
3. Chemicals, dyes, explosives, paints, oils, grease	364,345	411,375	449,473	504,802
4. Industrial metals, machines, conveyances	1,770,346	1,954,703	2,173,990	2,486,078
5. Precious metals, jewellery, plate	15,802	17,246	18,753	21,777
6. Textiles and textile goods (not dress)	211,218	233,785	252,473	279,582
7. Skins and leather (not clothing or footwear)	37,193	40,260	40,968	42,150
8. Clothing (except knitted)	252,352	266,337	281,415	302,301
9. Food, drink and tobacco	595,460	636,917	700,489	757,422
10. Sawmills, joinery, boxes, etc., wood turning and carving	188,169	190,357	206,278	231,995
11. Furniture of wood, bedding, etc.	68,149	69,988	75,911	84,409
12. Paper, stationery, printing, book-binding, etc.	326,944	350,913	379,738	426,925
13. Rubber	68,575	78,322	85,704	89,057
14. Musical instruments	4,128	4,363	4,901	5,868
15. Miscellaneous products	91,086	99,767	110,670	124,344
16. Heat, light and power	185,177	210,853	227,308	241,251
Total	4,394,635	4,795,241	5,270,004	5,897,054

(a) Value added in process of manufacture (i.e. value of output less value of materials and fuel used).
to 1 July 1964 excludes Northern Territory and Australian Capital Territory.

(b) Prior

Manufacturing Industries—continued

Average Amount of Salaries and Wages Paid per Employee(a)
(\$)

Year	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.(b)
1960-61—Males ..	2,408.4	2,366.9	2,012.8	2,250.4	2,010.1	2,261.8	(c)	(c)	2,317.6
Females ..	1,353.7	1,314.1	1,100.3	1,184.4	1,100.5	1,274.5			1,302.6
1961-62—Males ..	2,444.9	2,396.7	2,093.0	2,280.7	2,052.8	2,293.0			2,355.6
Females ..	1,387.3	1,360.9	1,140.4	1,220.6	1,123.0	1,312.9			1,341.6
1962-63—Males ..	2,499.4	2,491.2	2,126.7	2,376.8	2,109.3	2,367.0			2,425.2
Females ..	1,414.0	1,395.2	1,145.2	1,240.5	1,141.1	1,336.0			1,369.0
1963-64—Males ..	2,618.1	2,621.0	2,254.3	2,456.7	2,200.8	2,491.2	(c)	(c)	2,542.3
Females ..	1,447.9	1,431.9	1,181.8	1,312.1	1,163.4	1,367.1			1,405.9
1964-65—Males(r) ..	2,811.7	2,833.6	2,476.1	2,687.2	2,337.4	2,643.6	3,242.4	3,090.8	2,745.7
Females(r) ..	1,537.1	1,526.3	1,289.6	1,372.4	1,228.2	1,453.6	1,298.9	1,469.4	1,495.6

(a) Excludes working proprietors and amounts drawn by them.
Territory and Australian Capital Territory.

(b) Prior to 1 July 1964 excludes Northern Territory and Australian Capital Territory.

(c) Not available.

Average Number of Males and Females Employed(a) over whole Year, 1964-65

Sex	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
Males ..	379,672	307,006	95,328	94,690	50,065	26,768	1,098	2,634	957,261
Females ..	129,307	125,407	20,918	21,493	8,032	5,812	112	593	311,674
Masculinity(b) ..	294	245	456	441	r623	461	980	444	307

(a) Includes working proprietors.

(b) Number of males per 100 females.

PRODUCTION OF CERTAIN COMMODITIES—AUSTRALIA

Commodity	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66p	Five months ended November p—	
				1965	1966
Beer mill. gal	262	275	(a) 289	122.7	125.0
Biscuits mill. lb	198	209	222	97.3	101.4
Blankets thousand	2,176	2,079	1,721	739	746
Boots, shoes and sandals '000 prs	28,241	28,607	r27,645	13,450	13,890
Bricks, clay million	1,238	1,353	1,357	608	598
Cement building sheets (asbestos) mill. sq yds	29.8	32.5	32.4	14.2	14.8
Cement, Portland '000 tons	3,320	3,746	3,667	1,590	1,577
Cloth, woven, woollen and worsted(b) mill. sq yds	23.7	24.5	23.3	10.7	9.4
Coal—black '000 tons	26,856	28,921	32,302	14,262	15,276
brown '000 tons	18,684	19,575	21,586	9,438	9,653
Confectionery—chocolate mill. lb	92.7	95.6	104.0	42.7	46.7
other mill. lb	100.5	106.3	107.4	51.3	52.5
Copper, refined '000 tons	89.2	53.4	91.0	37.6	38.5
Electricity mill. kWh	32,519	35,671	r38,237	16,457	17,780
Electric motors thousand	2,223	2,585	2,448	1,089	1,177
Engines, internal combustion(c) thousand	290	292	225	135.6	141.0
Flour, wheaten(d) '000 short tons	1,672	1,553	1,406	618	565
Fruit, canned or bottled mill. lb	471	514	r575	33.2	39.5

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Production of Certain Commodities—Australia—continued

Commodity		1963-64	1964-65	1965-66p	Five months ended November p—	
					1965	1966
Gas(e)	mill. cub ft	53,209	55,260	54,903	25,086	26,910
Gold, refined(f)	'000 fine oz	911	871	774	325	309
Hosiery—men's	'000 doz. prs	1,628	1,707	1,666	822	820
women's	'000 doz. prs	3,992	4,440	r4,492	2,105	2,189
children's and infants'	'000 doz. prs	935	1,025	r899	428	469
Ice cream	'000 gal	22,403	25,019	30,209	10,963	13,225
Iron and steel(g)—pig iron	'000 tons	3,772	3,936	4,380	1,878	2,083
ingot steel(h)	'000 tons	4,764	5,030	5,561	2,398	2,559
Jam	mill. lb	90.5	89.4	97.5	33.9	33.9
Lacquers	'000 gal	1,525	1,564	r1,446	652	610
Lead, refined(i)	'000 tons	217	199	188	79	84
Malt, all types	'000 bus	12,127	12,262	13,197	5,526	5,967
Margarine—table	'000 lb	(g)	50,937	52,850	10,811	12,303
other	'000 lb	73,024	69,060	68,399	13,576	14,006
Meat, canned	mill. lb	99.9	115.6	109.1	51.8	52.2
Newsprint	'000 tons	92.0	93.1	93.2	40.4	41.6
Paints, ready mixed and enamels	'000 imp. gal	15,491	16,260	r15,149	6,746	6,932
Plaster sheets(j)	'000 sq yds	15,922	14,760	29,613	13,121	13,804
Refrigerators, domestic	thousand	203	228	213	94.5	105.5
Silver, refined	'000 fine oz	9,392	8,939	8,480	3,398	3,832
Slippers	'000 prs	11,388	12,211	11,496	4,734	4,501
Soap	'000 cwt	1,229	1,170	1,167	514	481
Stoves, cooking(k)—electric(l)	thousand	176	195	204	101.0	103.8
gas(m)	thousand	77.4	84.5	71.2	37.3	33.6
solid fuel	thousand	28.1	23.6	21.0	9.9	9.4
Sugar, refined	'000 tons	576	592	606	263	271
Sulphate of ammonia	'000 tons	85.5	108.3	110.2	46.8	47.7
Sulphuric acid (100 %)	'000 tons	1,447	1,610	1,779	669	780
Superphosphate (in terms of 22 % P ₂ O ₅ content(n)),	'000 tons	3,347	3,703	4,185	1,481	1,683
Tiles, roofing—terracotta	million	53.8	53.0	50.7	22.9	21.8
cement	million	76.5	87.7	84.1	36.9	39.0
Timber, sawn Australian grown	mill. sup ft	1,488	1,532	1,488	675	647
Tobacco, cigars and cigarettes	mill. lb	56.1	58.5	(o) 56.2	(o) 26.0	(o) 26.3
Vegetables—canned or bottled	mill. lb	144	152	r181	71.7	81.5
quick frozen	mill. lb	57.4	77.3	92.7	20.3	27.8
Wool, scoured	mill. lb	161	159	r157	71.4	60.9
Wool tops (pure)	mill. lb	51.1	46.6	46.2	21.6	19.7
Yarn, woollen and worsted	mill. lb	52.2	54.3	52.1	23.8	22.7
Zinc, refined	'000 tons	186	189	197	85	85

(a) Includes waste beer. (b) Includes mixture cloths predominantly wool. Excludes blanketing and rug material. (c) Petrol and diesel. Excludes motor car, motor cycle, truck, tractor, aeroplane and marine engines. (d) Includes wheatmeal for baking. (e) Made in gas works only. (f) Newly won gold of Australian origin. (g) Year ended 31 May. (h) Includes recovery from scrap. (i) Includes lead content of lead alloy from primary sources, but excludes lead-silver bullion produced for export. (j) Figures prior to July 1965, refer to the production of fibrous plaster sheets only. (k) Domestic. (l) Excludes portable. (m) Gas stoves and ranges, upright or elevated (includes wall ovens but excludes hotplates and stovettes, etc.). (n) Includes ammonium phosphate (in terms of 22% P₂O₅ content) as from June 1964. (o) Source: Department of Customs and Excise. (q) Not available pending review.

ESTIMATED NET VALUE OF PRODUCTION(a)—AUSTRALIA

Primary Industries and Factories

NOTE. Depreciation and maintenance costs have not been deducted

Industry	1960-61	1961-62	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65
TOTAL NET VALUE OF PRODUCTION (\$m)					
Agriculture	783.7	733.0	830.4	917.4	978.8
Pastoral	916.3	962.7	1,078.7	1,340.6	1,221.3
Dairying	284.3	273.0	307.4	330.2	360.7
Poultry	62.0	49.7	52.8	61.5	50.9
Bee-farming(b)	2.9	3.2	3.0	5.1	4.1
Total rural	2,049.2	2,021.6	2,272.3	2,654.8	2,615.8
Trapping(b)	13.2	11.8	11.4	13.4	13.1
Forestry(b)	102.4	95.2	96.1	102.6	111.1
Fishing and whaling(b)	25.6	28.6	30.6	31.7	39.0
Mining and quarrying	278.1	274.5	291.0	325.6	397.8
Total non-rural	419.3	410.1	429.1	473.3	561.0
Total all primary	2,468.5	2,431.7	2,701.4	3,128.1	3,176.9
Factories(c)	4,349.8	4,394.6	4,795.2	5,270.0	5,897.1
Grand Total	6,818.3	6,826.3	7,496.6	8,398.1	9,074.0

NET VALUE OF PRODUCTION PER HEAD OF POPULATION

(\$)

Agriculture	75.42	69.13	76.87	83.31	87.17
Pastoral	88.19	90.79	99.86	121.74	108.77
Dairying	27.35	25.75	28.45	29.99	32.13
Poultry	5.97	4.69	4.89	5.59	4.53
Bee-farming(b)	0.28	0.30	0.28	0.47	0.37
Total rural	197.21	190.66	210.36	241.08	232.96
Trapping(b)	1.27	1.11	1.06	1.21	1.16
Forestry(b)	9.85	8.98	8.90	9.32	9.90
Fishing and whaling(b)	2.47	2.70	2.83	2.88	3.48
Mining and quarrying	26.76	25.89	26.94	29.57	35.43
Total non-rural	40.35	38.68	39.73	42.98	49.97
Total all primary	237.56	229.34	250.09	284.06	282.93
Factories(c)	421.90	r418.04	r448.05	r483.42	r525.31
Grand Total	659.46	r647.38	r698.14	r767.48	r808.24

(a) Includes amounts paid as bounty, relief, etc. (b) Local value. (c) Excludes Northern Territory and Australian Capital Territory for 1963-64 and earlier years.

ESTIMATED NET VALUE OF PRODUCTION(a) 1964-65

Primary Industries and Factories

NOTE. Depreciation and maintenance costs have not been deducted

Industry	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.(b)
TOTAL NET VALUE OF PRODUCTION (\$m)							
Agriculture	293.9	236.4	193.7	134.2	92.8	27.2	978.8
Pastoral	451.4	309.7	221.0	110.1	101.1	21.0	1,221.3
Dairying	116.8	136.1	50.7	25.0	12.6	19.0	360.7
Poultry	16.7	24.4	4.5	1.5	1.6	1.6	50.9
Bee-farming(c)	1.7	0.9	0.3	0.5	0.5	0.1	4.1
Total rural	880.5	707.4	470.2	271.4	208.6	69.0	2,615.8
Trapping(c)	4.2	5.5	1.4	0.9	0.7	0.4	13.1
Forestry(c)	31.6	32.1	13.5	8.8	11.3	13.3	111.1
Fishing and whaling(c)	8.3	3.6	5.3	4.5	15.2	2.2	39.0
Mining and quarrying	195.4	37.1	75.0	34.1	32.2	18.2	397.8
Total non-rural	239.4	78.2	95.1	48.2	59.3	34.0	561.0
Total all primary	1,119.9	785.6	565.4	319.6	267.9	103.1	3,176.9
Factories	2,521.5	1,949.7	478.4	498.6	260.6	167.3	5,897.1
Grand Total	3,641.4	2,735.3	1,043.8	818.2	528.5	270.4	9,074.0
NET VALUE OF PRODUCTION PER HEAD OF POPULATION (\$)							
Agriculture	71.03	75.57	119.58	127.06	115.59	73.90	87.17
Pastoral	109.10	98.99	136.45	104.17	125.89	57.11	108.77
Dairying	28.24	43.51	31.31	23.69	15.70	51.69	32.13
Poultry	4.04	7.80	2.77	1.43	1.98	4.33	4.53
Bee-farming(c)	0.41	0.28	0.22	0.51	0.65	0.33	0.37
Total rural	212.82	226.15	290.33	256.87	259.79	187.36	232.96
Trapping(c)	1.01	1.75	0.84	0.85	0.84	1.10	1.16
Forestry(c)	7.63	10.25	8.32	8.33	14.12	36.02	9.90
Fishing and whaling(c)	2.00	1.14	3.27	4.24	18.89	5.96	3.48
Mining and quarrying	47.23	11.85	46.31	32.25	40.06	49.33	35.43
Total non-rural	57.87	24.98	58.75	45.66	73.91	92.41	49.97
Total all primary	270.68	251.13	349.08	302.53	333.71	279.78	282.93
Factories r	609.39	622.00	296.20	475.52	323.64	456.71	525.31
Grand Total r	880.07	873.13	645.28	778.05	657.35	736.49	808.24

(a) Includes amounts paid as bounty, relief, etc. (b) Includes for Total all primary; Northern Territory (\$11,862,000) and Australian Capital Territory (\$3,605,000) and for Factories; Northern Territory (\$6,654,000) and Australian Capital Territory (\$14,360,000). (c) Local value.

INDEXES OF QUANTUM^(a) OF FARM PRODUCTION

(Base: Average 1936-37 to 1938-39 = 100)

Year	Agriculture	Pastoral	Farmyard and dairying	All farming	Wool (shorn and dead)	Products other than wool
1961-62	163	160	128	155	174	150
1962-63	191	163	129	166	170	165
1963-64	196	172	131	174	183	171
1964-65	218	172	136	181	183	180
1965-66p	176	162	139	164	167	162

(a) Indexes of value at constant prices, i.e., quantities revalued at average unit values of base years (1936-37 to 1938-39).

ESTIMATED QUANTITY OF CERTAIN FOODSTUFFS AND BEVERAGES AVAILABLE FOR CONSUMPTION ANNUALLY PER HEAD OF POPULATION: AUSTRALIA

	1960-61	1961-62	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65p
Milk and milk products—					
Fluid whole milk gal	28.7	28.5	27.8	28.2	29.1
Condensed, powdered, etc.(a) .. lb	19.4	r 21.5	r 20.9	r 23.7	r 24.2
Cheese lb	6.4	6.6	6.7	r 7.3	r 7.5
Meat—					
Beef and veal (carcass weight) .. lb	85.4	93.4	100.5	104.8	r 99.6
Mutton (carcass weight) .. lb	63.2	55.3	51.7	48.4	46.3
Lamb (carcass weight) .. lb	38.2	42.8	42.1	41.7	r 39.3
Pigmeat (carcass weight) .. lb	11.4	13.6	12.0	11.5	11.9
Offal (carcass weight) .. lb	10.9	11.6	r 12.5	12.9	12.4
Canned meat (canned weight) .. lb	4.2	3.8	4.3	4.3	4.6
Bacon and ham (cured carcass weight) lb	6.8	7.0	7.4	7.3	7.6
Fats and oils—					
Butter lb	25.1	24.0	23.8	23.4	r 22.6
Margarine—Table and other .. lb	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	r 10.7
Sugar and syrups—					
Refined sugar—					
As sugar lb	53.7	54.0	52.3	53.4	51.8
In manufactured products .. lb	53.7	57.7	56.8	55.8	58.8
Honey, glucose and syrups (sugar content) lb	5.6	5.2	4.8	6.3	7.3
Pulse and nuts lb	9.8	10.9	11.4	9.8	11.2
Fruit—					
Citrus fruit(b) lb	35.5	43.3	r 47.8	r 42.5	r 51.1
Other fresh fruit lb	86.1	87.1	r 84.5	r 92.3	r 78.3
Jams lb	8.4	8.1	8.2	r 8.0	r 7.8
Dried fruit lb	6.4	6.2	7.4	5.2	r 7.4
Canned fruit lb	17.5	16.5	r 20.5	r 18.7	r 17.5
Potatoes, white lb	86.4	97.1	123.2	103.3	93.6
Grain products—					
Flour (including wheatmeal for baking and sharps) lb	168.6	169.6	166.8	172.7	168.6
Breakfast foods lb	14.2	14.3	13.8	14.6	14.2
Beverages—					
Tea lb	5.9	5.8	5.8	5.7	5.7
Coffee(c) lb	1.7	2.0	2.2	2.2	2.4
Beer gal	22.6	22.5	22.8	23.5	24.3
Wine gal	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.2
Spirits pf gal	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4

(a) For 1961-62 and subsequent years includes powdered buttermilk and mixed skim and buttermilk. (b) Includes fresh equivalent of manufactured products. (c) Coffee and coffee products in terms of pure processed whole or ground coffee.

SECTION IV. BUILDING

NUMBER OF NEW HOUSES AND FLATS(a)

Period	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
APPROVED									
Year—									
1961-62 ..	32,640	21,405	10,752	8,536	6,883	2,644	471	1,460	84,791
1962-63 ..	34,700	26,022	10,428	10,776	7,466	2,644	423	1,930	94,389
1963-64 ..	43,484	32,042	12,583	13,744	9,277	2,813	612	1,869	116,424
1964-65 ..	46,914	32,908	14,873	12,334	9,365	2,921	939	2,537	122,791
1965-66 ..	39,249	29,468	15,754	10,935	9,202	2,646	749	2,181	110,184
Quarter ended—									
June 1965 ..	11,497	8,032	4,274	3,167	2,539	733	113	690	31,045
September 1965 ..	11,417	7,531	4,215	3,382	2,247	713	105	553	30,163
December 1965 ..	9,075	7,229	3,722	2,802	2,247	597	207	730	26,609
March 1966 ..	8,680	6,652	3,788	2,036	2,137	553	192	397	24,435
June 1966 ..	10,077	8,056	4,029	2,715	2,571	783	245	501	28,977
September 1966 ..	10,784	9,442	4,325	2,960	2,663	719	76	1,308	32,277
December 1966 ..	11,017	9,330	4,006	1,983	2,670	674	397	553	30,630
COMMENCED									
Year—									
1961-62 ..	30,285	21,540	9,754	9,334	6,809	2,641	489	1,618	82,470
1962-63 ..	31,875	24,473	9,726	10,293	7,098	2,567	382	1,855	88,269
1963-64 ..	38,167	30,737	11,492	12,950	9,063	2,670	558	1,943	107,580
1964-65 ..	42,207	31,821	14,085	13,378	9,197	2,797	753	2,471	116,709
1965-66 ..	37,036	29,079	15,702	10,942	9,127	2,413	630	2,275	107,204
Quarter ended—									
June 1965 ..	9,962	7,649	3,858	3,276	2,094	652	139	604	28,234
September 1965 ..	10,732	7,474	3,917	2,941	2,327	618	79	653	28,741
December 1965 ..	8,803	6,839	3,547	2,567	1,981	569	140	508	24,954
March 1966 ..	8,512	6,930	3,708	2,611	2,363	573	201	503	25,401
June 1966 ..	8,989	7,836	4,530	2,823	2,456	653	210	611	28,108
September 1966 ..	9,292	8,339	3,838	2,915	2,531	861	187	566	28,529
December 1966p ..	9,766	8,484	3,592	2,375	2,683	680	318	576	28,474
COMPLETED									
Year—									
1961-62 ..	32,349	23,039	10,068	9,729	6,347	2,551	396	1,784	86,263
1962-63 ..	31,344	24,100	9,799	10,332	7,235	2,601	491	1,845	87,747
1963-64 ..	33,730	27,069	10,961	11,477	8,571	2,675	336	1,914	96,733
1964-65 ..	39,890	31,495	13,625	12,870	9,286	2,732	610	2,143	112,651
1965-66 ..	40,766	30,435	14,626	12,209	8,889	2,481	782	2,578	112,766
Quarter ended—									
June 1965 ..	10,497	8,500	3,717	3,268	2,189	703	179	655	29,708
September 1965 ..	10,508	7,877	3,371	3,416	2,188	666	107	705	28,838
December 1965 ..	11,454	8,382	3,718	3,099	2,199	621	172	628	30,273
March 1966 ..	9,378	6,369	3,367	2,719	2,226	537	249	641	25,486
June 1966 ..	9,426	7,807	4,170	2,975	2,276	657	254	604	28,169
September 1966 ..	9,163	7,779	3,734	3,098	2,212	671	97	636	27,390
December 1966p ..	9,888	8,987	4,685	2,890	2,642	735	145	541	30,513
UNDER CONSTRUCTION AT END OF PERIOD									
1961-62 ..	15,272	13,822	3,150	4,930	3,629	1,762	367	1,176	44,108
1962-63 ..	15,803	14,195	3,077	4,891	3,492	1,728	258	1,186	44,630
1963-64 ..	20,240	17,863	3,608	6,364	3,984	1,723	480	1,215	55,477
1964-65 ..	22,557	18,189	4,068	6,872	3,895	1,788	623	1,543	59,535
1965-66 ..	18,827	16,833	5,144	5,605	4,133	1,720	471	1,240	53,973
Quarter ended—									
June 1965 ..	22,557	18,189	4,068	6,872	3,895	1,788	623	1,543	59,535
September 1965 ..	22,781	17,786	4,614	6,397	4,034	1,740	595	1,491	59,438
December 1965 ..	20,130	16,243	4,443	5,865	3,816	1,688	563	1,371	54,119
March 1966 ..	19,264	16,804	4,784	5,757	3,953	1,724	515	1,233	54,034
June 1966 ..	18,827	16,833	5,144	5,605	4,133	1,720	471	1,240	53,973
September 1966 ..	18,956	17,393	5,248	5,422	4,452	1,910	561	1,170	55,112
December 1966p ..	18,834	16,890	4,155	4,907	4,493	1,855	734	1,205	53,073

(a) The numbers of flats included relate to individual living units.

TOTAL NEW BUILDINGS: VALUE

(\$'000)

Period	N.S.W. (a)	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
APPROVED									
Year—									
1961-62..	371,696	278,622	112,376	100,120	72,822	35,864	7,458	37,368	1,016,326
1962-63..	403,234	328,342	128,688	115,124	78,116	35,752	9,254	45,584	1,144,094
1963-64..	469,384	392,928	167,242	157,148	115,720	32,538	10,988	43,376	1,389,324
1964-65..	531,344	437,514	203,386	166,010	131,958	42,760	17,658	48,220	1,578,850
1965-66..	r490,235	458,608	227,756	133,840	122,572	r46,901	14,765	44,903	r1,539,580
Quarter ended—									
September 1965	142,492	117,820	62,554	44,468	31,476	11,002	2,592	12,902	425,306
December 1965	117,362	129,508	48,554	37,702	26,388	9,674	3,768	13,498	386,454
March 1966	109,903	89,283	50,645	22,425	28,639	9,382	3,180	10,979	324,436
June 1966	r120,478	121,997	66,003	29,245	36,069	r16,843	5,225	7,524	403,384
September 1966(b)	139,911	125,214	50,613	34,339	33,701	13,171	1,788	17,797	416,534
December 1966(b)	134,451	126,966	50,400	22,564	40,208	11,855	4,837	10,173	401,454
COMMENCED									
Year—									
1961-62..	419,196	304,186	105,834	103,492	73,524	35,386	7,964	38,070	1,087,652
1962-63..	436,668	316,482	124,652	111,716	81,918	34,612	8,246	40,620	1,154,914
1963-64..	514,054	394,698	150,356	149,776	118,556	34,664	10,164	42,400	1,414,668
1964-65..	594,378	419,864	201,704	168,988	122,056	42,040	13,140	54,224	1,616,394
1965-66..	558,427	450,737	225,553	145,997	130,982	43,789	15,405	49,935	1,620,825
Quarter ended—									
June 1965	146,562	106,588	48,626	43,464	32,286	10,230	2,370	8,948	399,074
September 1965	160,882	120,806	61,834	35,992	36,790	10,308	4,160	17,904	448,676
December 1965	137,264	100,985	49,096	33,420	27,954	10,776	2,300	9,806	371,601
March 1966	126,132	113,877	48,954	42,620	31,730	13,360	5,278	12,537	394,488
June 1966	134,149	115,069	65,669	33,965	34,508	9,345	3,667	9,688	406,060
September 1966(b)	153,597	121,614	56,748	40,411	41,157	17,595	4,169	13,522	448,813
COMPLETED									
Year—									
1961-62..	416,086	296,350	110,108	104,630	68,072	33,454	7,006	31,516	1,067,222
1962-63..	411,526	333,568	112,694	121,120	86,428	34,128	8,872	38,124	1,146,460
1963-64..	471,680	334,830	133,018	118,302	92,868	33,976	7,962	40,164	1,232,800
1964-65..	531,544	402,280	178,470	154,500	107,100	37,744	11,784	42,986	1,466,408
1965-66..	583,236	415,375	209,272	160,301	130,178	39,680	12,065	57,566	1,607,673
Quarter ended—									
June 1965	137,346	101,746	47,592	38,154	25,530	9,444	3,646	11,498	374,956
September 1965	129,196	106,108	46,616	43,904	28,720	9,610	2,038	11,156	377,348
December 1965	156,384	101,168	47,169	39,942	31,958	11,393	2,874	19,840	410,728
March 1966	157,527	90,049	49,301	35,361	37,012	8,466	3,654	16,349	397,719
June 1966	140,129	118,050	66,186	41,094	32,488	10,211	3,499	10,221	421,878
September 1966(b)	153,345	116,374	53,416	33,258	39,965	11,509	3,511	20,178	431,556
UNDER CONSTRUCTION AT END OF PERIOD									
1961-62..	334,816	256,592	56,896	83,016	49,006	27,776	7,856	43,650	859,608
1962-63..	365,276	243,910	69,994	75,732	45,372	28,412	7,354	48,762	884,812
1963-64..	413,202	306,278	87,888	111,514	71,848	29,094	9,770	52,048	1,081,642
1964-65..	485,184	327,310	113,222	130,890	88,436	33,366	11,254	66,686	1,256,348
1965-66..	473,627	369,747	133,544	120,662	90,982	37,412	14,816	59,615	1,300,405
Quarter ended—									
June 1965	485,184	327,310	113,222	130,890	88,436	33,366	11,254	66,686	1,256,348
September 1965	521,252	342,596	128,728	124,772	96,968	34,070	13,622	73,602	1,335,610
December 1965	504,540	343,690	131,693	119,207	93,158	33,384	13,066	63,820	1,302,558
March 1966	476,018	369,423	132,769	127,504	88,542	38,274	14,713	59,961	1,307,204
June 1966	473,627	369,747	133,544	120,662	90,982	37,412	14,816	59,615	1,300,405
September 1966(b)	477,893	378,035	137,618	128,435	92,687	43,498	15,627	54,118	1,327,911

(a) Up to 30 June 1966, major alterations and additions are excluded from 'Approvals', but included in 'Commenced', 'Completed' and 'Under Construction at end of Period'. (b) From 1 July 1966, alterations and/or additions of \$10,000 and over are included with new buildings in all States.

VALUE OF WORK DONE ON NEW BUILDINGS
(\$'000)

Period	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
Year—									
1961-62..	413,436	298,472	108,718	105,408	75,014	34,776	7,888	33,260	1,076,972
1962-63..	426,376	316,650	115,440	116,020	81,586	34,136	7,844	42,626	1,140,678
1963-64..	490,116	362,740	148,578	135,936	97,692	35,850	9,432	43,510	1,323,854
1964-65..	569,752	413,496	186,234	160,364	122,976	38,356	11,778	53,860	1,556,816
1965-66..	614,477	442,402	221,746	156,762	133,483	43,201	13,749	55,308	1,681,128
Quarter ended—									
June 1965 ..	153,724	112,290	49,970	40,772	30,598	10,124	3,372	13,882	414,732
September 1965 ..	163,792	109,354	54,260	42,784	34,484	10,184	3,564	13,606	432,028
December 1965 ..	153,880	111,441	55,567	39,421	32,986	10,245	2,840	12,636	419,016
March 1966 ..	143,365	104,370	51,655	36,725	32,343	10,352	4,032	15,594	398,436
June 1966 ..	153,440	117,237	60,264	37,832	33,670	12,420	3,313	13,472	431,648
September 1966(a)	163,751	125,891	56,551	38,553	38,536	12,689	3,703	14,641	454,315

(a) See footnotes (a) and (b) page 36.

NUMBER OF NEW HOUSES AND FLATS COMPLETED

Type of building	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	Three months ended September	
					1965	1966
Houses—						
Brick, brick veneer, concrete and stone ..	40,194	47,754	52,285	52,148	13,218	13,699
Wood (weatherboard, etc.) ..	19,212	16,678	14,480	12,247	3,205	2,747
Fibro cement ..	16,083	16,358	17,171	16,027	4,121	3,654
Other ..	307	324	548	674	163	199
Total ..	75,796	81,114	84,484	81,096	20,707	20,299
Flats(a) ..	11,951	15,619	28,167	31,670	8,131	7,091
Total Houses and Flats ..	87,747	96,733	112,651	112,766	28,838	27,390

(a) Individual living units.

VALUE OF NEW BUILDINGS COMPLETED
(\$'000)

Type of building	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	Three months ended September	
					1965	1966(a)
Houses ..	540,550	602,258	665,722	683,893	170,502	178,401
Flats ..	69,666	83,560	157,270	185,997	47,190	42,612
Hotels, hostels, etc. ..	37,068	27,818	29,074	31,279	5,376	11,029
Shops ..	49,112	51,490	46,366	68,396	14,898	26,959
Factories ..	115,822	128,426	152,638	167,867	39,982	40,864
Offices ..	71,796	90,076	116,826	103,867	14,832	32,730
Other business premises ..	43,792	54,004	68,110	66,832	15,704	24,378
Education ..	85,554	80,572	95,336	141,566	34,924	34,264
Religious ..	16,904	13,998	16,572	15,001	3,340	4,394
Health ..	44,972	38,602	43,740	54,426	9,936	12,079
Entertainment and recreation ..	33,782	26,606	31,282	28,797	6,578	6,975
Miscellaneous ..	37,442	35,390	43,472	59,752	14,086	16,871
Total ..	1,146,460	1,232,800	1,466,408	1,607,673	377,348	431,556

(a) See notes (a) and (b) page 36.

VALUE OF NEW BUILDINGS COMPLETED—STATES, ETC.,
THREE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 1966
(\$'000)

Type of building	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
Houses ..	55,928	50,883	22,350	21,127	15,580	5,319	848	6,366	178,401
Flats ..	18,483	12,788	6,337	1,818	2,368	253	93	472	42,612
Hotels, hostels, etc. ..	2,207	1,352	2,091	387	698	98	744	3,452	11,029
Shops ..	11,698	11,775	1,359	790	670	245	80	342	26,959
Factories ..	15,725	15,807	2,210	1,942	1,965	2,649	250	316	40,864
Offices ..	19,309	2,727	975	676	3,634	149	51	5,209	32,730
Other business premises ..	4,043	4,767	11,842	963	1,720	794	83	166	24,378
Education ..	15,086	7,751	2,616	2,766	1,288	712	1,223	2,822	34,264
Religious ..	1,280	1,373	297	901	471	72	..	..	4,394
Health ..	2,174	3,607	874	941	3,950	513	20	..	12,079
Entertainment and recreation	3,238	1,065	1,038	463	932	107	37	95	6,975
Miscellaneous ..	4,174	2,479	1,427	484	6,689	598	82	938	16,871
Total ..	153,345	116,374	53,416	33,258	39,965	11,509	3,511	20,178	431,556

SECTION V. TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION

OVERSEA SHIPPING—ENTRANCES AND CLEARANCES, AUSTRALIA

Year	Entrances				Clearances			
	With cargo		With cargo and in ballast		With cargo		With cargo and in ballast	
	No. of vessels	'000 net tons	No. of vessels	'000 net tons	No. of vessels	'000 net tons	No. of vessels	'000 net tons
1961-62	2,511	14,071	3,599	18,858	2,927	13,199	3,611	18,804
1962-63	2,611	15,119	3,411	18,958	2,658	12,412	3,351	18,626
1963-64	2,653	15,442	3,714	20,723	3,029	14,776	3,763	20,917
1964-65	2,740	16,355	3,813	21,689	2,993	14,698	3,788	21,606
1965-66	2,698	16,943	3,927	23,042	3,011	15,362	4,010	23,208

OVERSEA AND INTERSTATE TONNAGE OF CARGO—

DISCHARGED AND SHIPPED

('000 tons)

NOTE. Part of the cargo is recorded in tons weight and part in tons measurement. As the total cannot be stated accurately as either tons weight or tons measurement, each is recorded and published separately. '1 ton measurement' equals 40 cubic feet.

State or Territory, and year	Discharged				Shipped			
	Interstate		Oversea		Interstate		Oversea	
	Tons weight	Tons measurement	Tons weight	Tons measurement	Tons weight	Tons measurement	Tons weight	Tons measurement
1964-65								
New South Wales ..	8,061	228	7,980	1,897	4,047	104	8,344	667
Victoria	2,499	681	7,238	1,523	1,325	700	2,742	664
Queensland	1,448	102	881	361	969	25	3,942	104
South Australia ..	1,586	41	2,425	422	6,317	17	2,571	220
Western Australia ..	745	73	4,178	168	3,037	38	2,615	127
Tasmania	1,015	597	389	72	662	518	195	198
Northern Territory ..	93	..	120	..	3	..	15	..
Australia	15,447	1,722	23,211	4,443	16,360	1,402	20,424	1,980
1965-66								
New South Wales ..	8,573	186	7,884	1,614	3,498	145	8,359	635
Victoria	2,355	830	7,110	1,577	1,199	704	2,547	678
Queensland	830	69	1,845	337	1,043	49	4,832	127
South Australia ..	1,629	35	2,355	395	5,952	14	1,983	242
Western Australia ..	777	113	4,474	161	3,831	41	3,804	144
Tasmania	1,097	709	336	35	637	530	203	217
Northern Territory ..	88	..	152	..	12	..	21	..
Australia	15,349	1,942	24,156	4,119	16,172	1,483	21,749	2,043
Australia—								
1964-65	15,447	1,722	23,211	4,443	16,360	1,402	20,424	1,980
1963-64	15,321	1,453	20,788	3,942	15,632	1,208	19,744	1,861
1962-63	13,882	1,306	19,497	3,397	14,340	1,100	15,405	1,545
1961-62	13,318	1,427	17,508	2,763	13,658	1,186	17,178	1,547

OVERSEA SHIPPING FREIGHT RATES FROM AUSTRALIA TO VARIOUS COUNTRIES AT 31 DECEMBER 1966

(As Quoted)

NOTE. Commodities such as wheat, sugar, petroleum oils, etc., are mainly transported in bulk, usually by vessels on charter, and often no freight rate is available.

(1 Ton Measurement = 40 Cubic Feet)

UNITED KINGDOM AND CONTINENT

Rates—Sterling

Butter (refrigerated)	..	..	..	..	£0.67 per box (56 lb)
Cheese (refrigerated)	..	..	..	..	£27.70 per ton weight
Eggs (in shell)	..	..	..	..	£19.00 per ton measurement
Meats—					
Preserved by cold process (refrigerated)—					
Beef	..	..	..	..	4.11d per lb
Lamb	..	..	..	..	5.08d per lb
Mutton	..	..	..	..	4.11d per lb
Beef, lamb and mutton (in cartons)	..	..	..	..	2.97d per lb
Not frozen	..	..	..	..	£12.45 per ton weight
Sausage casings—					
In casks (refrigerated)	..	..	..	..	£20.700 per ton measurement
In casks (not refrigerated)	..	..	..	..	£12.450 per ton measurement
Dry	..	..	..	..	£12.450 per ton measurement
Milk and cream (condensed)	..	..	..	..	£12.450 per ton measurement
Dried and canned fruits	..	..	..	..	£9.487 per ton measurement
Fruits, fresh (refrigerated)—					
Apples and pears	..	..	..	..	£0.680 per bushel case
Grain and pulse, unprepared—					
Wheat—parcels (bags)	..	..	..	..	£6.750 per ton weight
Barley (in bags)	..	..	..	..	£6.875 per ton weight
Oats (in bags)	..	..	..	..	£7.375 per ton weight
Grain and pulse, prepared—flour, wheaten	..	..	..	..	£8.750 per ton weight
Wine	..	..	..	..	£11.850 per ton measurement
Hides and skins—					
Calf	..	..	..	..	£18.032 per ton weight
Sheep—dumped	..	..	..	..	2.98d per lb
Other	..	..	..	..	£56.60 per ton weight
Wool—					
Greasy	..	..	..	..	4.15d per lb
Scoured and washed	..	..	..	..	5.20d per lb
Tops	..	..	..	..	4.96d per ton weight
Ore in casks, bags or drums	..	..	..	..	£7.550 per ton weight
Copper	..	..	..	..	£5.850 per ton weight
Lead	..	..	..	..	£5.850 per ton weight
Steel billets (20 to 30 feet)	..	..	..	..	£8.300 per ton weight
Zinc (ex Risdon)	..	..	..	..	£5.150 per ton weight
Leather	..	..	..	..	£27.400 per ton weight

CEYLON. (All rates plus congestion charge of 25 per cent.)

Flour, wheaten	..	..	..	..	£8.250 per ton weight
Milk and cream—					
Condensed	..	..	..	..	£14.100 per ton measurement
Frozen	..	..	..	..	£24.325 per ton measurement
General cargo	..	..	..	..	£14.100 per ton weight or measurement

INDIA

Milk products in cases, cartons, etc.	..	..	..	..	£10.750 per ton measurement
Wheat in bags	..	..	..	..	£8.100 per ton weight
Wool—					
Greasy	..	..	..	..	3.45d per lb
Scoured, etc.	..	..	..	..	4.42d per lb
Zinc bars	..	..	..	..	£6.500 per ton weight
General cargo	..	..	..	..	£12.625 per ton weight or measurement

SOUTH AFRICA

Wool dumped—					Rates—Australian \$ currency
Greasy	..	..	..	..	3.93 cents per lb
Scoured, etc.	..	..	..	..	4.81 cents per lb
General cargo	..	..	..	..	\$A30.25 per ton weight or measurement

Oversea Shipping Freight Rates from Australia to Various Countries at 31 December 1966—continued

(1 Ton Measurement = 40 Cubic Feet)

CHINA						<i>Rates—Australian Shillings and Pence</i>
Flour in bags	..	..	..	..	..	165s per 2,000 lb
Wheat in bags	..	..	..	..	..	165s per ton weight (net)
Wool—						
Greasy	..	..	..	..	..	3d per lb
Scoured, etc.	..	..	..	..	..	3.49d per lb
General cargo	..	..	..	..	..	275s per ton weight or measurement
HONG KONG						
Sugar, refined, in bags	..	..	..	..	..	245s per ton weight
Wheat	..	..	..	..	..	165s per ton weight (net)
Wool—						
Greasy	..	..	..	..	..	3d per lb
Scoured, etc.	..	..	..	..	..	3.49d per lb
General cargo	..	..	..	..	..	275s 6d per ton weight or measurement
JAPAN						
Cattle hides	..	..	..	..	..	275s per ton weight
Coal in bags	..	..	..	..	..	235s per ton weight
Concentrates (copper, lead and zinc)—						
Parcels (bags or drums)	..	..	..	..	..	180s per ton weight
Bulk F.I.T.	..	..	..	..	..	130s per ton weight
Iron and steel scrap—						
Loose	..	..	..	..	..	240s per ton weight
4-cwt drums	..	..	..	..	..	210s per ton weight
Over 4-cwt drums	..	..	..	..	..	185s per ton weight
Sugar refined in bags	..	..	..	..	..	245s per ton weight
Wheat	..	..	..	..	..	165s per ton weight (net)
Wool—						
Greasy	..	..	..	..	..	3.32d per lb
Scoured, etc.	..	..	..	..	..	3.86d per lb
General cargo	..	..	..	..	..	275s per ton weight or measurement
CANADA EAST COAST AND ST LAWRENCE PORTS TO MONTREAL						<i>Rates—Canadian Dollars</i>
Fruit—						
Canned	..	..	..	..	..	39.10 per ton measurement
Dried	..	..	..	..	..	36.50 per ton measurement
Preserved	..	..	..	..	..	42.20 per ton measurement
General cargo	..	..	..	..	..	47.60 per ton weight or measurement
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA—ATLANTIC AND GULF PORTS						<i>Rates—U.S. Dollars</i>
Beef, preserved by cold process—						
Quarters, etc.	..	..	..	..	..	4.65 per 100 lb gross weight
Cartons	..	..	..	..	..	4.15 per 100 lb net weight
Casein	..	..	..	..	..	47.00 per ton weight
Crayfish, lobster, prawns, scallops	..	..	..	..	..	82.50 per ton measurement
Fish, preserved by cold process—						
Loose	..	..	..	..	..	90.00 per ton weight
Cartons	..	..	..	..	..	4.50 per 100 lb net weight
Lead—concentrates—						
Bags or drums	..	..	..	..	..	30.00 per ton weight
Pig (loose)	..	..	..	..	..	23.50 per ton weight
Mineral sand—						
Ilmenite, zircon (bags or drums)	..	..	..	..	..	23.00 per ton weight
Rutile (bags or drums)	..	..	..	..	..	26.00 per ton weight
Mutton, preserved by cold process—						
Carcases	..	..	..	..	..	5.00 per 100 lb
Cuts in cartons	..	..	..	..	..	4.15 per 100 lb net weight
Pipes and tubes of iron and steel	..	..	..	..	..	33.00 per ton weight or measurement
Wool—						
Greasy	..	..	..	..	..	5.25 per 100 lb
Scoured, etc.	..	..	..	..	..	6.30 per 100 lb
General cargo	..	..	..	..	..	47.60 per ton weight or measurement

INTERSTATE, NEW ZEALAND AND ISLANDS SHIPPING FREIGHT RATES:
GENERAL CARGO, 31 DECEMBER 1966

(As quoted)

(Per Ton Weight or Measurement: 1 Ton Measurement = 40 Cubic Feet)

(Australian dollars and cents unless otherwise indicated)

To—	From—			
	Brisbane	Sydney	Melbourne	
	Direct	Direct	Direct	Trans-shipped
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Brisbane .. .. .	..	15.20	22.10	..
Sydney	16.60	..	16.20	..
Melbourne	22.10	16.20	..	..
Adelaide .. .. .	..	21.10	(a) 16.05	..
Fremantle	26.85	26.20	(a) 29.00	..
Hobart	19.50	16.35	15.00	..
Launceston .. .. .	..	18.35	12.80	..
Burnie .. .. .	..	18.35	..	(b) 14.00
Devonport .. .. .	..	18.35	..	(b) 14.00
Darwin	23.95	25.85	27.60	..
	s d	s d	s d	
Auckland(c)	184 6	177 6	177 6	..
Wellington(c)	(d) 184 6	(d) 177 6	(d) 177 6	..
Lyttleton(c)	184 6	177 6	177 6	..
Dunedin(c)	184 6	177 6	177 6	..
	\$	\$	\$	\$
New Hebrides—Vila and Santo .. .. .	..	30.00	..	(e) 38.80
Norfolk Island .. .. .	..	24.00	..	(e) 32.80
Papua—				
Port Moresby and Samarai	25.00	25.00	25.00	(e) 32.00
New Guinea—				
Lae, Madang and Rabaul	26.00	26.00	26.00	(e) 33.00

(a) Rates included port charges at destination. (b) Transhipped at Launceston. (c) Rates expressed in sterling. (d) Plus Wellington Harbour improvement charges at 2s 3d. (e) Transhipped at Sydney.

NOTE. Cargo carried on roll-on roll-off vessels between the mainland and Tasmania is charged at a rate per square foot of deck space occupied which varies according to the height of the load.

GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS

NOTE. The Commonwealth System shown includes combined details of four separate Railways, namely, Trans-Australian Railway, Central Australia Railway, North Australia Railway and the Australian Capital Territory Railway.

System	1961-62	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	Three months ended September—	
						1965	1966

ROUTE-MILEAGE OPEN AT END OF PERIOD

New South Wales ..	6,063	6,055	6,055	6,055	6,055	6,055	6,055
Victoria ..	4,291	4,265	4,211	4,211	4,188	4,211	4,187
Queensland ..	6,077	6,077	5,954	5,785	5,785	5,785	5,785
South Australia ..	2,532	2,535	2,514	2,497	2,478	2,497	2,478
Western Australia ..	3,851	3,797	3,677	3,733	3,747	3,733	3,747
Tasmania ..	516	516	500	500	500	500	500
Commonwealth ..	2,252	2,252	2,252	2,252	2,252	2,252	2,252
Australia ..	25,582	25,497	25,163	25,033	25,005	25,033	25,004

REVENUE TRAIN-MILES
(^{'000})

New South Wales ..	37,446	37,361	39,078	40,194	37,694	10,140	9,363
Victoria ..	18,903	19,477	20,113	20,489	20,145	5,199	4,972
Queensland ..	17,563	17,952	19,161	17,605	17,640	5,195	4,526
South Australia ..	6,737	6,727	6,666	6,582	6,492	1,638	1,640
Western Australia ..	8,065	7,550	7,506	7,562	8,043	1,934	2,153
Tasmania ..	1,415	1,322	1,322	1,272	1,283	330	326
Commonwealth ..	2,453	2,549	2,668	2,914	2,955	759	747
Australia ..	92,582	92,938	96,514	96,618	94,252	25,195	23,727

PASSENGER-JOURNEYS(a)
(^{'000})

New South Wales ..	r252,719	r257,756	r263,796	r261,681	257,568	64,367	66,103
Victoria ..	152,768	152,727	153,396	149,753	149,125	40,698	40,552
Queensland ..	26,700	26,081	25,903	25,215	25,979	7,479	7,199
South Australia ..	15,176	14,922	15,227	15,196	15,511	3,728	3,911
Western Australia ..	11,906	11,537	10,814	10,395	10,168	2,834	2,689
Tasmania ..	1,816	1,558	1,426	1,340	1,304	326	292
Commonwealth ..	315	334	338	347	342	90	99
Australia ..	461,400	464,915	470,900	463,927	459,997	119,522	120,845

REVENUE GOODS AND LIVESTOCK CARRIED(a)
(^{'000} tons)

New South Wales ..	24,050	23,641	25,814	27,889	26,917	7,536	7,367
Victoria ..	10,350	10,841	12,132	12,596	12,156	3,254	2,765
Queensland ..	8,153	8,736	9,796	10,031	10,049	3,301	3,164
South Australia ..	4,616	4,503	5,179	5,089	4,789	1,189	1,117
Western Australia ..	5,342	4,793	5,187	5,229	6,384	1,270	1,834
Tasmania ..	1,096	1,165	1,155	1,091	1,072	272	266
Commonwealth ..	1,958	2,230	2,478	2,919	2,976	793	852
Australia ..	55,565	55,909	61,741	64,844	64,343	17,615	17,365

(a) Intersystem traffic is included in the total for each system over which it passes. For this purpose each Commonwealth Railway is regarded as a separate system.

Government Railways—continued

System	1961-62	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	Three months ended September—	
						1965	1966
REVENUE NET TON-MILES (Million)							
New South Wales ..	3,575.7	3,743.3	4,282.1	4,706.0	4,255.2	1,250.0	1,026.0
Victoria ..	1,581.0	1,693.2	1,905.6	2,028.2	1,989.5	544.9	447.6
Queensland ..	1,496.6	1,599.7	1,887.1	1,800.9	2,002.0	620.4	541.0
South Australia ..	650.1	679.4	754.1	765.4	749.3	192.1	176.0
Western Australia ..	831.1	762.3	813.3	842.1	1,020.8	211.3	297.5
Tasmania ..	107.0	111.8	113.9	116.6	113.4	35.8	36.2
Commonwealth ..	581.3	663.6	744.4	885.8	881.4	238.4	242.5
Australia ..	8,822.8	9,253.3	10,500.5	11,145.0	11,011.6	3,092.9	2,766.8
GROSS EARNINGS(a) (\$'000)							
New South Wales ..	176,702	182,482	202,488	213,258	195,336	53,504	48,026
Victoria ..	85,114	86,878	92,778	100,225	99,519	26,507	24,824
Queensland ..	72,318	75,244	84,260	81,321	84,178	26,051	23,351
South Australia ..	27,848	27,672	29,496	29,764	28,947	(b) 7,592	(b) 7,324
Western Australia ..	35,098	32,920	34,602	35,715	42,571	8,964	11,802
Tasmania ..	5,406	5,598	5,668	5,581	5,985	1,421	1,478
Commonwealth ..	12,482	13,958	15,194	17,419	18,091	4,760	5,009
Australia ..	414,968	424,752	464,486	483,283	474,627	(c) 128,799	(c) 121,814
WORKING EXPENSES (\$'000)							
New South Wales ..	159,190	158,652	177,416	187,240	179,792	43,012	42,969
Victoria ..	85,812	87,000	91,512	99,337	101,006	25,028	25,827
Queensland ..	76,170	75,436	78,288	80,513	84,126	21,055	20,597
South Australia ..	31,206	30,984	30,910	31,713	32,388	(b) 8,184	(b) 8,475
Western Australia ..	34,908	34,606	35,802	36,529	39,730	8,468	9,857
Tasmania ..	6,878	6,670	6,894	7,219	7,547	1,658	1,847
Commonwealth ..	10,330	13,286	14,218	15,967	17,316	4,307	4,688
Australia ..	404,494	406,634	435,040	458,518	461,905	(c) 111,712	(c) 114,260
NET EARNINGS (\$'000)							
New South Wales ..	17,512	23,830	25,072	26,018	15,544	10,492	5,057
Victoria ..	-698	-122	1,266	888	-1,486	1,479	-1,003
Queensland ..	-3,852	-192	5,972	808	52	4,996	2,754
South Australia ..	-3,358	-3,312	-1,414	-1,949	-3,441	(b) -592	(b) -1,151
Western Australia ..	190	-1,686	-1,200	-814	2,841	496	1,945
Tasmania ..	-1,472	-1,072	-1,226	-1,638	-1,561	-238	-368
Commonwealth ..	2,152	672	976	1,452	775	453	321
Australia ..	10,474	18,118	29,446	24,765	12,724	(c) 17,086	(c) 7,555

(a) Excludes Government grants.

(b) Includes road motors.

(c) Includes South Australian road motors.

NOTE. Minus sign (-) denotes loss.

Government Railways—continued

GROSS EARNINGS(a)

(\$'000)

System	Coaching (passengers, parcels, mails, etc.)	Goods, including livestock and minerals	Miscellaneous	Total
Three months ended September 1965				
New South Wales	14,134	39,276	94	53,504
Victoria	8,089	16,781	1,637	26,507
Queensland	2,294	23,155	602	26,051
South Australia(b)	1,090	5,906	595	7,592
Western Australia	916	7,673	375	8,964
Tasmania	87	1,289	45	1,421
Commonwealth	696	3,772	291	4,760
Australia(c)	27,306	97,852	3,640	128,799

Three months ended September 1966				
New South Wales	15,129	32,801	96	48,026
Victoria	8,661	14,400	1,764	24,824
Queensland	2,422	20,323	605	23,351
South Australia(b)	1,143	5,559	623	7,324
Western Australia	979	10,387	436	11,802
Tasmania	89	1,340	49	1,478
Commonwealth	772	3,887	350	5,009
Australia(c)	29,195	88,697	3,923	121,814

REVENUE GOODS AND LIVESTOCK CARRIED
('000 tons)

System	Livestock	Coal and coke	Other minerals	Other goods	Total
Three months ended September 1965					
New South Wales	99	3,219	701	3,517	7,536
Victoria	53	570	32	2,599	3,254
Queensland	283	862	250	1,906	3,301
South Australia	37	1	349	801	1,189
Western Australia	27	205	223	815	1,270
Tasmania	3	23	6	239	272
Commonwealth	30	525	13	226	793
Australia	532	5,405	1,574	10,103	17,615

Three months ended September 1966					
New South Wales	78	3,713	846	2,730	7,367
Victoria	47	538	39	2,142	2,766
Queensland	187	816	226	1,935	3,164
South Australia	26	2	388	701	1,117
Western Australia	29	171	440	1,194	1,834
Tasmania	4	19	8	236	266
Commonwealth	26	582	14	230	852
Australia	397	5,841	1,961	9,168	17,366

(a) Excludes Government grants.

(b) Includes road motors.

(c) Includes South Australian road motors.

GOVERNMENT AND MUNICIPAL TRAMWAYS, TROLLEY-BUSES AND OMNIBUSES

Mileages

State and year	Route-miles open at 30 June			Vehicle-miles		
	Tramway	Trolley-bus	Omnibus	Tramway	Trolley-bus	Omnibus
1965-66—				'000	'000	'000
New South Wales .. ..	..	..	593	..	..	44,759
Victoria	156	..	123	17,439	..	6,763
Queensland	59	20	310	5,953	1,126	6,813
South Australia	7	..	142	486	..	10,849
Western Australia .. ..	..	17	4,342	..	645	19,479
Tasmania .. ..	..	28	923	..	1,120	5,175
Northern Territory .. ..	..	..	32	..	..	625
Australian Capital Territory ..	..	..	68	..	..	1,967
Australia	222	65	6,533	23,878	2,891	96,430
Australia—						
1964-65	222	65	6,460	24,552	(a) 2,269	(a) 95,932
1963-64	223	65	5,921	25,689	(a) 2,512	(a) 93,760
1962-63	223	88	5,735	26,363	(a) 3,200	(a) 91,683
1961-62	229	88	5,777	28,034	(a) 3,890	(a) 89,757

(a) Particulars of Western Australia trolley-bus services included with Omnibus.

Operations

State and year	Passenger-journeys			Gross revenue(a)	Working expenses(b)
	Tramway	Trolley-bus	Omnibus		
1965-66—	'000	'000	'000	\$'000	\$'000
New South Wales .. ..	..	..	255,211	25,130	29,012
Victoria	144,889	..	25,120	17,846	19,019
Queensland	56,011	5,979	30,456	8,030	8,332
South Australia	2,279	..	50,833	6,049	5,806
Western Australia .. ..	..	(c)	(c) 53,179	6,585	7,398
Tasmania .. ..	..	(c)	(c) 22,750	2,387	3,008
Northern Territory .. ..	..	..	926	136	137
Australian Capital Territory ..	..	..	5,561	537	732
Australia	203,179	(d) 5,979	(d) 444,036	66,700	73,444
Australia—		(d)	(d)		
1964-65	218,086	6,779	459,745	65,110	70,519
1963-64	231,348	7,395	463,690	63,688	r 67,890
1962-63	237,929	12,156	462,038	63,394	67,344
1961-62	248,396	16,131	453,418	63,514	68,412

(a) Excludes Government Grants. (b) Includes depreciation. (c) Included with Omnibus. (d) Western Australian and Tasmanian trolley-bus journeys included with Omnibus.

REGISTRATIONS OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLES

NOTE. Defence Service vehicles are excluded from registrations

State or Territory and year	Motor cars	Station wagons	Ambulances and hearses	Utilities	Panel vans	Trucks	Other truck-types	Omnibuses	Motor-cycles	Total
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 1966										
New South Wales ..	89,260	20,415	91	10,516	5,268	7,469	326	383	4,079	137,807
Victoria ..	68,308	16,765	64	7,070	3,693	5,038	326	337	1,413	103,014
Queensland ..	30,972	10,187	105	5,783	1,257	4,672	(a) 2	244	1,653	54,875
South Australia ..	23,762	4,982	50	2,882	978	1,945	100	155	1,097	35,951
Western Australia ..	20,198	6,229	23	4,668	1,389	2,642	54	149	893	36,245
Tasmania ..	8,595	1,709	13	1,308	500	775	14	96	272	13,282
Northern Territory ..	724	448	..	567	78	198	1	6	176	2,198
Australian Capital Territory	3,224	701	2	288	148	178	12	28	122	4,703
Australia ..	245,043	61,436	348	33,082	13,311	22,917	835	1,398	9,705	388,075
Total—							(a)			
1965 ..	258,057	73,694	347	32,890	14,175	25,346	888	1,544	8,062	415,003
1964 ..	250,062	83,001	336	33,041	14,592	25,336	803	1,384	6,482	415,037
1963 ..	233,135	74,245	338	31,656	12,318	20,674	619	1,178	5,272	379,435
1962 ..	205,463	61,326	276	27,023	11,722	15,893	556	987	5,414	328,660

(a) In Queensland some 'Other truck-types' are classified as trucks.

MOTOR VEHICLES ON REGISTER 30 JUNE 1965 AND 1966(a)

State or Territory	Motor cars and station wagons		Utilities, panel vans, trucks(b), omnibuses		Motor cycles		Total	
	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966	1965	1966
New South Wales	1,005,333	1,059,395	288,754	289,795	18,495	19,848	1,312,582	1,369,038
Victoria ..	818,331	860,451	218,957	220,649	12,526	11,880	1,049,814	1,092,980
Queensland ..	371,220	396,640	153,255	155,419	12,432	12,483	536,907	564,542
South Australia(c)	284,833	299,014	84,702	84,249	13,201	12,164	382,736	395,427
Western Australia	202,914	219,816	79,316	84,423	9,244	8,777	291,474	313,016
Tasmania ..	91,529	97,080	29,451	30,648	1,527	1,495	122,507	129,223
Northern Territory ..	8,043	9,274	5,741	5,869	292	406	14,076	15,549
Australian Capital Territory ..	27,035	30,513	4,731	5,066	383	459	32,149	36,038
Australia ..	2,809,238	2,972,183	864,907	876,118	68,100	67,512	3,742,245	3,915,813

(a) Based on Census of Motor Vehicles, 31 December 1962, and compiled from data supplied by the various registration authorities. All figures are subject to revision.

(b) Includes other truck-types.

(c) Interim series only.

MOTOR VEHICLE DRIVERS' AND RIDERS' LICENCES AND GROSS REVENUE

State or Territory and year	Drivers' and riders' licences at 30 June	Gross revenue			
		Vehicles' registration and motor tax	Drivers' and riders', etc. licences	Miscellaneous	Total
	'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
1965-66—					
New South Wales	1,622	37,982	6,989	15,391	60,362
Victoria	1,259	27,060	2,872	14,573	44,505
Queensland	n.a.	15,903	858	8,465	25,226
South Australia	457	11,242	960	..	12,202
Western Australia	345	9,977	1,059	1,437	12,473
Tasmania	142	3,519	381	360	4,260
Northern Territory	n.a.	203	33	3	240
Australian Capital Territory	52	(a) 604	(b)	(b)	604
Total	(c) 3,877	106,490	13,152	40,229	159,872
Total—	(c)				
1964-65	3,775	100,554	13,143	36,477	150,174
1963-64	3,609	(d) 94,196	(e) 11,226	(f) 31,176	137,080
1962-63	3,413	(d) 81,834	(e) 8,998	(f) 26,464	117,704
1961-62	3,326	(d) 74,648	(e) 7,006	(f) 23,534	105,556
1960-61	3,198	(f) 70,456	(f) 7,598	(f) 21,742	100,122

(a) Includes drivers', etc., fees. (b) Included in registration fees. (c) Excludes Queensland for all years and Northern Territory for years after 1961-62. (d) Excludes Australian Capital Territory but includes drivers', etc., fees for South Australia. (e) Excludes South Australia and Australian Capital Territory. (f) Excludes Australian Capital Territory.

ROAD TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS INVOLVING CASUALTIES(a)

SIX MONTHS ENDED JUNE 1966

State or Territory	Number of accidents	Persons killed	Persons injured	Per 100,000 of mean population			Per 10,000 motor vehicles registered(b)		
				Number of accidents	Persons killed	Persons injured	Number of accidents	Persons killed	Persons injured
New South Wales	10,117	571	13,927	239	13	329	75	4	103
Victoria	6,889	472	9,915	214	15	308	64	4	92
Queensland	3,376	235	4,914	203	14	296	60	4	88
South Australia(c)	3,266	129	4,324	299	12	396	83	3	110
Western Australia	2,015	122	2,753	241	15	329	65	4	89
Tasmania	655	49	970	176	13	261	51	4	76
Northern Territory	140	12	214	377	32	576	92	8	141
Australian Capital Territory	274	8	398	286	8	415	78	2	114
Australia	26,732	1,598	37,415	232	14	324	69	4	97

(a) Accidents known to the police which occurred in public thoroughfares and which resulted in death within thirty days or in bodily injury to an extent requiring surgical or medical treatment. (b) Average number of motor vehicles on register. (c) Includes accidents in which the injured persons did not require surgical or medical treatment and the number of persons injured in accidents who did not require surgical or medical treatment.

CIVIL AVIATION

Australian Registrations, Licences, Aerodromes, etc.

				At 30 June—				
				1962	1963	1964	1965	1966
Registered aircraft owners	..	..	..	938	1,006	1,167	1,293	1,481
Registered aircraft	..	..	..	1,600	1,787	1,936	2,207	2,605
Pilots' licences—								
Private	..	..	..	3,627	4,066	4,720	5,382	6,365
Helicopter	..	..	..	2	3	6	6	7
Student	..	..	..	4,433	4,845	5,676	6,907	8,109
Helicopter	..	..	..	12	15	41	66	96
Commercial	..	..	..	1,244	1,335	1,452	1,603	1,808
Helicopter	..	..	..	33	42	53	64	89
Airline transport	..	..	..	1,122	1,148	1,273	1,475	1,629
Flight navigators' licences	..	..	..	141	135	137	154	252
Radio operators' licences	..	..	..	5,407	6,572	7,975	9,120	10,850
Flight engineers' licences	..	..	..	175	168	215	429	495
Aircraft maintenance engineers' licences	..	..	..	2,485	2,521	2,553	2,779	2,879
Aerodromes—(a)								
Government(b)	..	..	..	129	122	113	110	110
Licensed	..	..	..	359	380	381	386	385
Flying boat bases and alighting areas(a)	..	..	..	13	13	13	13	13

(a) Excludes Territory of Papua and New Guinea.

(b) Includes joint-user.

Australian Airlines Operations, etc.

				1961-62	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66
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REGULAR INTERNAL SERVICES(a)

Hours flown	No.	207,210	217,897	244,517	256,231	261,535
Miles flown	..	..	'000	41,176	43,700	48,971	52,323	55,020
Paying passengers(b)	..	..	No.	2,666,160	2,832,934	3,256,937	3,763,936	4,157,873
Paying passenger-miles	..	..	'000	1,119,430	1,221,178	1,408,317	1,639,087	1,831,360
Freight—								
Tons(c)	..	..	..	57,207	59,373	63,161	69,959	76,079
Ton-miles(c)	..	..	'000	26,076	28,270	30,491	33,891	37,577
Mail—								
Tons(c)	..	..	..	6,311	6,467	7,082	7,736	8,633
Ton-miles(c)	..	..	'000	3,198	3,324	3,741	4,074	4,587

OVERSEA SERVICES(d)

Hours flown	..	..	No.	51,066	48,669	53,792	68,028	68,405
Miles flown	..	..	'000	19,240	20,343	22,357	28,126	29,635
Paying passengers	..	..	No.	247,517	294,908	352,442	443,665	448,623
Paying passenger-miles	..	..	'000	836,570	1,014,867	1,185,981	1,527,039	1,569,513
Freight—								
Tons(c)	..	..	..	6,432	6,756	8,071	10,293	11,451
Ton-miles(c)	..	..	'000	30,429	33,135	38,633	51,826	61,836
Mail—								
Tons(c)	..	..	..	2,015	2,468	2,654	3,124	3,252
Ton-miles(c)	..	..	'000	11,622	15,191	16,057	19,891	20,914

AUSTRALIAN AIRCRAFT ACCIDENTS(e) INVOLVING CASUALTIES

Number	..	..	..	46	32	33	21	41
Persons killed	..	..	..	52	16	24	21	32
Persons injured	..	..	..	38	26	26	7	28

(a) Includes only services operated by Australian-owned airlines (excluding Qantas Empire Airways Limited) within the Commonwealth of Australia. Excludes services from Australia to Papua-New Guinea and Norfolk Island and services within Papua-New Guinea. (b) Aggregates of traffic carried on individual airline flights. Traffic continuing over one or more separate flights is counted separately for each flight on which it is carried. (c) 2,000 lb. (d) Includes all services operated by Australian-owned airlines to places outside the Commonwealth of Australia. Includes services from Australia to the external territory of Papua-New Guinea and Norfolk Island but excludes services operated wholly within Papua-New Guinea. (e) Accidents involving aircraft on Australian register and gliders irrespective of location of accident. Includes parachutists killed on contact with earth.

TELEPHONE SERVICES
(Number)

	Year ended 30 June—					Six months ended December	
	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1965	1966
Effective applications(a) ..	205,120	269,499	318,327	286,770	302,625	145,086	159,538
Services connected(b) ..	209,020	264,734	297,147	304,976	322,591	154,654	164,226
Services in operation(c) ..	1,718,569	1,812,181	1,918,880	2,010,124	2,120,378	2,062,968	2,179,141
Instruments in service(c) ..	2,382,478	2,522,522	2,670,212	2,810,833	2,978,336		

(a) Demand for telephone services allowing for applications withdrawn during period. (b) Includes reconnections. (c) At end of period.

Telephone Services in Operation

State	30 June—					31 December 1966
	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	
New South Wales	665,334	695,336	732,744	766,254	813,672	837,411
Victoria	536,229	568,946	601,714	631,950	660,974	676,866
Queensland	215,078	226,414	239,993	250,486	262,810	269,972
South Australia	152,785	162,012	173,314	182,249	192,922	198,444
Western Australia	97,975	105,476	113,818	120,081	128,023	132,895
Tasmania	51,168	53,997	57,297	59,104	61,977	63,553
Australia	1,718,569	1,812,181	1,918,880	2,010,124	2,120,378	2,179,141

BROADCASTING AND TELEVISION

Receiving Licences in Force

State	30 June—					31 December 1966
	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	

BROADCAST LISTENERS' LICENCES IN FORCE(a)

New South Wales(b)	812,822	802,046	822,499	849,291	929,119	940,331
Victoria	585,752	607,036	622,663	644,618	716,594	709,063
Queensland	328,525	334,566	342,321	343,401	340,687	337,614
South Australia(c)	249,673	256,741	266,027	269,040	281,747	280,368
Western Australia	168,676	165,637	174,121	175,443	169,709	168,033
Tasmania	75,014	73,760	74,159	75,849	88,095	81,100
Australia	2,220,462	2,239,786	2,301,790	2,357,642	2,525,951	2,516,509

TELEVISION VIEWERS' LICENCES IN FORCE(a)

New South Wales(b)	564,707	637,766	721,043	787,507	843,103	857,870
Victoria	460,558	530,256	581,286	620,996	662,595	665,792
Queensland	142,422	178,391	214,763	243,660	277,182	286,448
South Australia	143,794	167,502	194,430	208,642	233,726	247,033
Western Australia	83,951	95,907	115,272	123,741	142,881	147,630
Tasmania	29,003	45,503	55,305	60,079	66,187	68,810
Australia	1,424,435	1,655,325	1,882,099	2,044,625	2,225,674	2,273,583

(a) Includes combined licences which are required of persons owning both broadcast and television receivers located at the same address. (b) Includes Australian Capital Territory. (c) Includes Northern Territory.

SECTION VI. RETAIL SALES

NOTE. Figures in the next two tables relate to retail sales of goods (as distinct from services, accommodation, entertainments, meals, etc.) by establishments selling retail goods from fixed premises (shops, rooms, kiosks, yards). The figures for the years 1956-57 and 1961-62 were obtained from Censuses taken in respect of those years, whereas figures for the other periods shown are estimates based on sample surveys.

All figures shown are on a basis comparable with the 1961-62 Retail Census.

**TOTAL RETAIL SALES OF GOODS (EXCLUDING MOTOR VEHICLES,
PARTS, PETROL, ETC.)**
(\$ million)

Period	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.(a)
Year—							
1956-57	1,634.8	1,202.4	558.1	362.3	282.4	131.1	4,171.1
1957-58	1,726.6	1,254.0	579.2	367.2	298.0	131.0	4,356.0
1958-59	1,775.4	1,314.6	601.3	387.1	297.1	139.1	4,514.6
1959-60	1,936.3	1,427.8	664.8	436.9	329.2	150.3	4,945.3
1960-61	2,017.4	1,502.7	694.7	448.9	346.1	163.5	5,173.3
1961-62	2,060.4	1,517.1	701.6	451.6	360.3	166.1	5,257.1
1962-63	2,155.1	1,583.5	737.8	479.3	377.5	173.0	5,506.2
1963-64	2,242.5	1,690.1	798.4	522.5	402.7	179.8	5,836.0
1964-65(b)	2,370.6	1,809.1	854.9	569.1	437.0	190.2	6,230.9
1965-66(b)	2,475.4	1,898.5	896.5	594.8	474.9	199.0	6,539.1
Quarter ended—							
1962-63—							
September	510.4	374.3	176.2	112.4	90.1	41.3	1,304.7
December	600.3	438.5	200.7	131.0	104.0	48.2	1,522.7
March	506.9	372.0	175.7	114.3	89.9	40.5	1,299.3
June	537.5	398.7	185.2	121.6	93.5	43.0	1,379.5
1963-64—							
September	533.1	398.1	193.0	122.2	94.7	43.1	1,384.2
December	625.7	466.8	215.9	142.5	110.4	50.0	1,611.3
March	521.5	401.5	190.3	124.7	96.9	42.7	1,377.6
June	562.2	423.7	199.2	133.1	100.7	44.0	1,462.9
1964-65—							
September	564.8	429.3	205.3	134.1	103.0	45.1	1,481.6
December	671.9	504.9	235.6	156.9	120.8	53.5	1,743.6
March	545.3	427.5	200.4	135.3	103.3	44.3	1,456.1
June(b)	588.6	447.4	213.6	142.8	109.9	47.3	1,549.6
1965-66(b)—							
September	591.3	450.2	218.8	143.2	112.3	46.3	1,562.1
December	699.0	531.1	247.2	165.6	130.0	55.8	1,828.7
March	566.9	447.6	208.7	140.6	113.4	46.8	1,524.0
June	618.2	469.6	221.8	145.4	119.2	50.1	1,624.3
1966-67(b)—							
September	619.2	475.1	230.9	145.8	120.9	50.5	1,642.4

(a) Excludes Northern Territory and Australian Capital Territory.
information is available relating to trading by new businesses.

(b) Subject to revision when more precise

**TOTAL VALUE OF RETAIL SALES OF GOODS: COMMODITY GROUPS—
AUSTRALIA(a)**

(All figures are on a basis comparable with the 1961-62 Retail Census)

(\$ million)

YEARS

Commodity group	1960-61	1961-62 (b)	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65 (c)	1965-66 (c)
Groceries	833.1	858.3	892.0	940.0	1,014.4	1,095.2
Butchers' meat	421.5	422.3	444.1	466.6	503.4	541.1
Other food(d)	705.0	729.9	764.3	793.4	840.5	883.9
Beer, wine and spirits(e)	538.4	545.9	574.0	591.4	628.2	680.5
Total food and drink	2,498.0	2,556.4	2,674.4	2,791.4	2,986.5	3,200.7
Clothing and drapery	901.0	900.0	928.6	1,011.1	1,069.7	1,103.5
Footwear	153.4	154.7	162.2	171.0	177.5	179.4
Hardware, china and glassware(f)	145.2	146.0	154.8	154.0	164.0	164.6
Electrical goods(g)	354.5	348.0	366.5	386.8	407.5	393.3
Furniture and floor coverings	234.2	230.1	244.8	270.6	297.4	300.5
Chemists' goods	243.0	265.8	284.1	306.9	334.5	361.0
Newspapers, books and stationery	160.1	166.4	172.6	191.0	202.6	212.1
Other goods(h)	483.9	489.7	518.2	553.2	591.2	624.0
Total (excluding motor vehicles, parts, petrol, etc.)	5,173.3	5,257.1	5,506.2	5,836.0	6,230.9	6,539.1
Motor vehicles, parts, petrol, etc.(i)	1,649.7	1,603.2	1,981.8	2,169.7	2,299.7	2,241.1

QUARTERS

Commodity group	June 1965(c)	Sept. 1965(c)	Dec. 1965(c)	March 1966(c)	June 1966(c)	Sept. 1966(c)
Groceries	256.1	267.0	293.2	260.5	274.5	286.1
Butchers' meat	128.7	134.6	137.2	130.2	139.1	144.1
Other food(d)	209.5	212.1	233.3	218.7	219.8	224.5
Beer, wine and spirits(e)	149.1	152.2	189.9	175.1	163.3	165.7
Total food and drink	743.4	765.9	853.6	784.5	796.7	820.4
Clothing and drapery	237.0	263.1	318.8	228.4	293.2	265.3
Footwear	46.8	42.5	50.4	38.6	47.9	45.3
Hardware, china and glassware(f)	36.8	37.1	52.0	37.0	38.5	38.9
Electrical goods(g)	96.2	96.4	114.5	90.6	91.8	95.8
Furniture and floor coverings	70.6	76.6	87.2	66.6	70.1	76.1
Chemists' goods	83.2	86.7	100.4	84.2	89.7	94.3
Newspapers, books and stationery	47.1	47.9	61.0	54.0	49.2	52.8
Other goods(h)	138.5	145.9	190.8	140.1	147.2	153.5
Total (excluding motor vehicles, parts, petrol, etc.)	1,549.6	1,562.1	1,828.7	1,524.0	1,624.3	1,642.4
Motor vehicles, parts, petrol, etc.(i)	577.6	596.3	558.1	532.9	553.8	569.2

(a) Excludes Northern Territory and Australian Capital Territory. (b) Census figures. (c) Subject to revision when more precise information is available relating to trading by new businesses. (d) Includes fresh fruit and vegetables, confectionery, soft drinks, ice cream, cakes, pastry, cooked provisions, fish, etc., but excludes some delivered milk and bread. (e) Excludes sales made by licensed clubs. (f) Excludes basic building materials, builders' hardware and supplies such as tools of trade, paint, etc. (g) Includes radios, television and accessories, musical instruments, domestic refrigerators, etc. (h) Includes tobacco, cigarettes, etc., jewellery, sporting goods, etc., but excludes grain and produce, and business machines. (i) Includes new and used motor vehicles, parts, petrol, etc., but excludes tractors, farm machinery and implements, earth-moving equipment, etc.

INSTALMENT CREDIT FOR RETAIL SALES FINANCED BY RETAIL BUSINESSES AND NON-RETAIL FINANCE BUSINESSES

The statistics in the following tables cover instalment credit schemes which relate primarily to the financing of retail sales of goods. In general 'instalment credit' is defined as relating to schemes in which repayment is made by regular predetermined instalments, and includes Hire Purchase, Time Payment, Budget Account, and Personal Loan Schemes which relate primarily to financing of retail sales of goods. The first three tables include all such credit, whether it is advanced by retail businesses (including finance subsidiaries of retail businesses) or by non-retail finance businesses. The fourth table shows particulars for non-retail finance businesses only.

Instalment Credit for Retail Sales by Type of Business: Amount Financed, by Commodity Groups, and Balances Outstanding—Australia

(\$ million)

Period	Amount financed during period (excluding hiring charges, interest, insurance, etc.)				Collections during period (including hiring charges, etc.)	Balances outstanding at end of period (including hiring charges, etc.)
	Motor vehicles, etc.(a)	Plant and machinery (b)	Household and personal goods(c)	Total		
RETAIL BUSINESSES						
Year—						
1961-62	20.4	2.7	267.5	290.6	322.2	413.1
1962-63	21.0	3.6	281.7	306.3	355.3	425.3
1963-64	22.6	3.1	297.9	323.7	380.0	416.7
1964-65	22.0	2.6	287.0	311.6	379.7	395.6
1965-66	19.7	3.0	259.7	282.3	359.2	359.6
Quarter ended—						
June 1965	4.5	1.0	68.6	74.0	93.6	395.6
September 1965	4.7	0.8	64.5	70.0	95.4	382.7
December 1965	5.2	0.7	80.1	86.0	92.3	389.6
March 1966	4.9	0.8	52.0	57.7	83.3	368.8
June 1966	4.8	0.7	63.2	68.7	88.2	359.6
September 1966	5.1	1.0	60.3	66.4	87.6	347.1
NON-RETAIL FINANCE BUSINESSES						
Year—						
1961-62	346.3	41.6	84.9	472.8	648.3	756.3
1962-63	443.1	47.1	85.9	576.3	654.9	832.5
1963-64	507.0	52.9	84.0	644.0	703.1	939.2
1964-65	560.8	65.4	85.7	711.8	765.7	1,054.1
1965-66	524.0	69.5	77.8	671.2	818.0	1,070.3
Quarter ended—						
June 1965	135.3	16.3	21.1	172.7	192.9	1,054.1
September 1965	142.0	15.2	20.0	177.2	197.3	1,077.8
December 1965	134.2	19.3	21.9	175.5	201.3	1,092.8
March 1966	121.2	17.5	17.7	156.3	213.6	1,073.5
June 1966	126.6	17.5	18.1	162.2	205.7	1,070.3
September 1966	131.0	16.2	19.7	166.8	205.6	1,072.8

(a), (b), (c) see footnotes (d), (e) and (f) to next table.

**Instalment Credit for Retail Sales, by Type of Business: Amount Financed, by Commodity Groups,
and Balances Outstanding—Australia—continued**

(\$ million)

Period	Amount financed during period (excluding hiring charges, interest, insurance, etc.)				Collections during period (including hiring charges, etc.)	Balances outstanding at end of period (including hiring charges, etc.)
	Motor vehicles, etc.(a)	Plant and machinery (b)	Household and personal goods(c)	Total		
ALL BUSINESSES						
Year—						
1961-62	366.6	44.3	352.4	763.4	970.5	1,169.4
1962-63	464.0	50.7	367.6	882.6	1,010.2	1,257.7
1963-64	529.6	56.1	382.0	967.6	1,083.1	1,355.9
1964-65	582.8	68.0	372.7	1,023.5	1,145.4	1,449.7
1965-66	543.6	72.5	337.4	953.5	1,177.2	1,429.9
Quarter ended—						
June 1965	139.8	17.3	89.7	246.8	286.5	1,449.7
September 1965	146.7	16.0	84.5	247.2	292.7	1,460.6
December 1965	139.4	20.0	102.0	261.4	293.6	1,482.4
March 1966	126.1	18.3	69.7	214.0	296.9	1,442.3
June 1966	131.4	18.2	81.3	230.9	294.0	1,429.9
September 1966	136.1	17.2	79.9	233.2	293.2	1,420.0

(a), (b), (c) see footnotes (d), (e) and (f) to next table.

**Instalment Credit for Retail Sales by Type of Business: Amount Financed(a) by Commodity Groups,
September Quarter 1966**

(\$ million)

Commodity Group	N.S.W.(b)	Vic.	Qld	S.A.(c)	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
RETAIL BUSINESSES							
Motor vehicles, etc.(d) ..	1.4	1.3	0.4	0.5	1.4	0.1	5.1
Plant and machinery(e) ..	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.5	(g)	1.0
Household and personal goods(f)	25.8	16.7	8.2	4.5	3.9	1.1	60.3
Total	27.3	18.4	8.7	5.1	5.7	1.2	66.4
NON-RETAIL FINANCE BUSINESSES							
Motor vehicles, etc.(d) ..	48.6	31.1	22.8	11.0	12.9	4.6	131.0
Plant and machinery(e) ..	6.6	3.2	3.1	0.7	1.8	0.7	16.2
Household and personal goods(f)	7.6	3.2	4.4	2.0	1.5	0.9	19.7
Total	62.8	37.5	30.3	13.8	16.3	6.2	166.8
ALL BUSINESSES							
Motor vehicles, etc.(d) ..	50.0	32.4	23.2	11.5	14.3	4.7	136.1
Plant and machinery(e) ..	6.7	3.6	3.2	0.8	2.3	0.7	17.2
Household and personal goods(f)	33.4	20.0	12.6	6.6	5.4	2.0	79.9
Total	90.1	55.9	38.9	18.9	22.0	7.4	233.2

(a) Excludes hiring charges, interest, insurance, etc. (b) Includes Australian Capital Territory. (c) Includes Northern Territory. (d) Includes new and used motor cars, motor cycles, commercial vehicles, tractors, caravans, trailers, motor parts and accessories, etc. (e) Includes farm machinery and implements, earth-moving equipment, aircraft, industrial plant and machinery, business machines and equipment (including commercial refrigeration equipment), etc. (f) Includes furniture, furnishings and floor coverings, domestic refrigerators, electrical goods, radios, television, musical instruments, bicycles, motor mowers, clothing, etc. (g) Less than \$50,000.

Instalment Credit for Retail Sales: Balances Outstanding(a), by Type of Business
(\$ million)

At end of—	N.S.W.(b)	Vic.	Qld	S.A.(c)	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
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RETAIL BUSINESSES

June 1962 ..	165.1	117.0	44.2	39.7	38.2	8.8	413.1
June 1963 ..	176.1	115.0	48.2	39.7	36.4	9.7	425.3
June 1964 ..	179.9	106.7	53.3	37.1	30.4	9.3	416.7
June 1965 ..	170.0	101.0	53.7	35.1	27.2	8.6	395.6
June 1966 ..	154.6	91.0	49.1	31.5	25.6	7.7	359.6
June 1965 ..	170.0	101.0	53.7	35.1	27.2	8.6	395.6
September 1965 ..	165.0	97.0	52.4	34.3	25.9	8.2	382.7
December 1965 ..	169.9	97.6	53.2	34.7	26.0	8.3	389.6
March 1966 ..	158.1	93.7	51.1	32.7	25.2	8.0	368.8
June 1966 ..	154.6	91.0	49.1	31.5	25.6	7.7	359.6
September 1966 ..	147.5	88.3	47.8	30.2	25.9	7.4	347.1

NON-RETAIL FINANCE BUSINESSES

June 1962 ..	311.6	185.6	106.2	71.0	55.0	26.9	756.3
June 1963 ..	334.6	203.3	120.2	75.6	68.0	30.8	832.5
June 1964 ..	367.2	227.8	148.0	84.7	78.4	33.0	939.2
June 1965 ..	402.3	253.9	177.1	102.6	82.5	35.7	1,054.1
June 1966 ..	404.4	253.7	183.1	101.8	89.7	37.6	1,070.3
June 1965 ..	402.3	253.9	177.1	102.6	82.5	35.7	1,054.1
September 1965 ..	409.4	259.2	183.0	105.4	84.7	36.2	1,077.8
December 1965 ..	412.8	262.5	185.2	106.4	88.9	37.1	1,092.8
March 1966 ..	408.4	257.1	183.1	103.2	84.3	37.4	1,073.5
June 1966 ..	404.4	253.7	183.1	101.8	89.7	37.6	1,070.3
September 1966 ..	404.8	250.8	185.3	101.0	93.3	37.5	1,072.8

ALL BUSINESSES

June 1962 ..	476.7	302.7	150.4	110.8	93.2	35.7	1,169.4
June 1963 ..	510.7	318.3	168.5	115.3	104.4	40.5	1,257.7
June 1964 ..	547.1	334.6	201.3	121.7	108.9	42.3	1,355.9
June 1965 ..	572.3	354.9	230.8	137.7	109.7	44.3	1,449.7
June 1966 ..	559.1	344.7	232.3	133.3	115.3	45.3	1,429.9
June 1965 ..	572.3	354.9	230.8	137.7	109.7	44.3	1,449.7
September 1965 ..	574.3	356.2	235.4	139.8	110.6	44.4	1,460.6
December 1965 ..	582.7	360.1	238.4	141.0	114.9	45.4	1,482.4
March 1966 ..	566.5	350.8	234.1	135.9	109.6	45.4	1,442.3
June 1966 ..	559.1	344.7	232.3	133.3	115.3	45.3	1,429.9
September 1966 ..	552.3	339.1	233.1	131.2	119.2	44.9	1,420.0

(a) Including hiring charges, interest, insurance, etc.
Northern Territory.

(b) Includes Australian Capital Territory.

(c) Includes

Instalment Credit for Retail Sales: Non-Retail Finance Businesses
(\$ million)

Period	N.S.W.(a)	Vic.	Qld	S.A.(b)	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
AMOUNT FINANCED DURING PERIOD(c)							
Year—							
1961-62 ..	194.0	116.1	66.9	39.3	38.6	17.9	472.8
1962-63 ..	227.3	140.5	87.8	48.6	50.3	21.8	576.3
1963-64 ..	249.9	153.1	106.3	56.3	55.8	22.4	644.0
1964-65 ..	272.1	171.1	121.7	68.0	55.3	23.7	711.8
1965-66 ..	252.6	159.0	112.9	60.2	62.2	24.3	671.2
Quarter ended—							
June 1965 ..	63.9	41.1	30.1	17.1	14.5	5.9	172.7
September 1965 ..	67.2	42.5	31.0	16.9	13.3	6.2	177.2
December 1965 ..	65.1	42.7	29.3	15.4	16.5	6.4	175.5
March 1966 ..	60.5	36.2	25.5	13.7	14.8	5.6	156.3
June 1966 ..	59.7	37.6	27.1	14.2	17.5	6.1	162.2
September 1966 ..	62.8	37.5	30.3	13.8	16.3	6.2	166.8
COLLECTIONS DURING PERIOD(d)							
Year—							
1961-62 ..	252.4	170.0	97.0	60.7	44.9	23.1	648.3
1962-63 ..	260.1	162.5	99.5	58.6	49.7	24.6	654.9
1963-64 ..	273.5	171.4	110.0	62.8	58.3	27.0	703.1
1964-65 ..	293.5	184.3	126.9	70.4	62.6	28.0	765.7
1965-66 ..	306.4	197.5	138.8	77.8	67.9	29.6	818.0
Quarter ended—							
June 1965 ..	72.9	46.6	32.9	18.7	14.6	7.2	192.9
September 1965 ..	75.0	47.7	34.6	18.7	13.8	7.4	197.3
December 1965 ..	75.6	49.6	34.8	18.9	15.0	7.4	201.3
March 1966 ..	78.4	49.8	34.9	20.5	23.1	6.9	213.6
June 1966 ..	77.4	50.3	34.5	19.7	15.9	7.9	205.7
September 1966 ..	78.1	49.1	35.2	19.1	16.4	7.8	205.6
BALANCES OUTSTANDING AT END OF PERIOD(d)							
Year—							
1961-62 ..	311.6	185.6	106.2	71.0	55.0	26.9	756.3
1962-63 ..	334.6	203.3	120.2	75.6	68.0	30.8	832.5
1963-64 ..	367.2	227.8	148.0	84.7	78.4	33.0	939.2
1964-65 ..	402.3	253.9	177.1	102.6	82.5	35.7	1,054.1
1965-66 ..	404.4	253.7	183.1	101.8	89.7	37.6	1,070.3
Quarter ended—							
June 1965 ..	402.3	253.9	177.1	102.6	82.5	35.7	1,054.1
September 1965 ..	409.4	259.2	183.0	105.4	84.7	36.2	1,077.8
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March 1966 ..	408.4	257.1	183.1	103.2	84.3	37.4	1,073.5
June 1966 ..	404.4	253.7	183.1	101.8	89.7	37.6	1,070.3
September 1966 ..	404.8	250.8	185.3	101.0	93.3	37.5	1,072.8

(a) Includes Australian Capital Territory. (b) Includes Northern Territory. (c) Excludes hiring charges, interest, insurance, etc. (d) Includes hiring charges, interest, insurance, etc.

SECTION VII. OVERSEAS TRADE

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NOTE. *Merchandise trade and Non-merchandise trade have been re-defined in accordance with international standards recommended by the United Nations.*

OVERSEAS TRADE—STATES

(\$A'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

State or Territory	1961-62	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	Six months ended December	
						1965	1966p
IMPORTS							
New South Wales ..	825,820	953,886	1,035,618	1,277,405	1,257,603	648,027	630,324
Victoria	610,586	780,060	833,848	1,026,834	1,017,360	537,240	519,297
Queensland ..	97,722	134,232	161,682	199,516	240,349	112,403	94,352
South Australia ..	103,386	139,826	179,650	204,856	198,156	108,136	101,929
Western Australia ..	100,178	112,640	121,678	153,540	175,690	94,586	77,966
Tasmania ..	27,248	36,364	35,512	36,138	43,585	24,506	58,573
Northern Territory ..	4,168	2,384	2,938	4,124	5,596	3,026	4,307
Australian Capital Territory	384	3,278	1,732	2,290	1,153	588	820
Australia	1,769,492	2,162,670	2,372,658	2,904,703	2,939,492	1,528,512	1,487,568
EXPORTS(a)							
New South Wales ..	645,524	621,656	801,114	803,734	781,206	411,233	398,578
Victoria	573,600	596,880	746,640	723,048	768,063	360,947	404,187
Queensland ..	344,886	405,000	545,038	488,222	462,597	256,271	263,243
South Australia ..	243,976	212,944	322,160	302,242	296,277	150,649	150,757
Western Australia ..	288,162	247,438	286,714	243,078	314,403	125,845	188,423
Tasmania ..	57,196	66,792	78,318	87,315	92,008	30,821	34,834
Northern Territory ..	1,224	1,090	2,474	3,809	6,398	3,318	5,202
Australian Capital Territory	..	12	2	1	1	1	..
Australia	2,154,568	2,151,812	2,782,460	2,651,449	2,720,953	1,339,085	1,445,224

OVERSEAS TRADE—AUSTRALIA

(f.o.b. port of shipment)

Period	Total trade	Imports	Exports(a)			Value per head of population					
			Aust. produce	Re-exports	Total	Total trade	Imports	Exports(a)			
								Aust. produce	Re-exports	Total	
Year—	\$A'000	\$A'000	\$A'000	\$A'000	\$A'000	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	
1961-62 ..	3,924,060	1,769,492	2,101,448	53,120	2,154,568	370.0	166.8	198.2	5.0	203.2	
1962-63 ..	4,314,482	2,162,670	2,105,818	45,994	2,151,812	399.4	200.2	194.9	4.3	199.2	
1963-64 ..	5,155,118	2,372,658	2,726,914	55,546	2,782,460	468.1	215.4	247.6	5.1	252.7	
1964-65 ..	5,556,152	2,904,703	2,581,913	69,536	2,651,449	494.8	258.7	229.9	6.2	236.1	
1965-66 ..	5,660,445	2,939,492	2,638,097	82,856	2,720,953	494.5	256.8	230.5	7.2	237.7	
Six months ended December—											
1965 ..	2,867,597	1,528,512	1,295,236	43,849	1,339,085	251.8	134.2	113.7	3.9	117.6	
1966p ..	2,932,792	1,487,568	1,405,107	40,119	1,445,224	254.1	128.9	121.7	3.5	125.2	

(\$A'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Period	Imports			Exports(a)			Excess of exports (+) or imports (-)		
	Merchandise	Non-merchandise	Total	Merchandise	Non-merchandise	Total	Merchandise	Non-merchandise	Total
Year—									
1961-62 ..	1,738,896	30,596	1,769,492	2,100,295	54,273	2,154,568	+361,399	+23,677	+385,076
1962-63 ..	2,128,311	34,359	2,162,670	2,102,367	49,445	2,151,812	-25,944	+15,086	-10,858
1963-64 ..	2,329,576	43,082	2,372,658	2,725,646	56,814	2,782,460	+396,070	+13,732	+409,802
1964-65 ..	2,841,326	63,377	2,904,703	2,579,168	72,281	2,651,449	-262,158	+8,904	-253,254
1965-66 ..	2,898,280	41,212	2,939,492	2,633,532	87,421	2,720,953	-264,748	+46,209	-218,539
Six months ended December—									
1965 ..	1,508,317	20,195	1,528,512	1,297,317	41,768	1,339,085	-211,000	+21,573	-189,427
1966p ..	1,466,973	20,595	1,487,568	1,402,447	42,777	1,445,224	-64,526	+22,182	-42,344

(a) Excludes stores loaded in Australian ports on board overseas ships and aircraft, the values of which in \$A'000 were: 1961-62, \$26,648; 1962-63, \$25,874; 1963-64, \$29,870; 1964-65, \$30,359; and 1965-66 \$34,151.

CUSTOMS AND EXCISE REVENUE—AUSTRALIA
(\\$A'000)

Customs tariff division and excise tariff item	Six months ended December—	
	1965	1966p
GROSS CUSTOMS—		
I. Live animals; animal products	660	520
II. Vegetable products	1,480	1,246
III. Animal and vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal and vegetable waxes	997	1,611
IV. Prepared foodstuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar; tobacco	24,997	25,463
V. Mineral products(a)	10,575	6,190
VI. Products of the chemical industry and allied industries	6,322	7,218
VII. Artificial resins and plastic materials, cellulose esters and ethers, and articles thereof; rubber, synthetic rubbers, factice, and articles thereof	7,558	6,710
VIII. Raw hides and skins, leather, furskins and articles thereof; saddlery and harness; travel goods, handbags and similar containers; articles of gut (other than silk-worm gut)	1,176	1,305
IX. Wood and articles of wood; wood charcoal; cork and articles of cork; manufactures of straw, of esparto and of other plaiting materials; basket-ware and wickerwork	3,879	3,748
X. Paper-making material; paper and paper-board and articles thereof	4,004	3,986
XI. Textiles and textile articles	18,842	17,613
XII. Footwear, headgear, umbrellas, sun-shades, whips, riding-crops and parts thereof; prepared feathers and articles made therewith; artificial flowers; articles of human hair; fans	1,891	2,440
XIII. Articles of stone, of plaster, of cement, of asbestos, of mica and of similar materials; ceramic products; glass and glassware	4,163	3,887
XIV. Pearls, precious and semi-precious stones, precious metals, rolled precious metals, and articles thereof; imitation jewellery; coin	782	722
XV. Base metals and articles of base metal	11,448	9,524
XVI. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts therefor	28,090	27,499
XVII. Vehicles, aircraft, and parts therefor; vessels and certain associated transport equipment	16,682	13,503
XVIII. Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical and surgical instruments and apparatus; clocks and watches, musical instruments; sound recorders and reproducers; television image and sound recorders and reproducers, magnetic; parts therefor	5,418	5,359
XIX. Arms and ammunition; parts therefor	279	224
XX. Miscellaneous manufactured articles	5,821	5,250
XXI. Works of art, collectors' pieces, and antiques and Miscellaneous (including revenue collected on goods for which a Customs entry is not required and revenue collected on goods in terms of a concessional item in the Second Schedule for which a nominal Tariff Item is provided) and Additional Duty collected on post entries which amend an original entry passed in a previous month	1,856	2,511
Total gross customs duties(a)	156,920	146,529
Primage	3,382	3,145
Total gross customs and primage duties(a)	160,302	149,674

(a) As from July 1964 duty is included in the price of petroleum products purchased by Commonwealth Government departments and is subsequently credited by Commonwealth Treasury to the departments concerned.

Customs and Excise Revenue—Australia—continued
(\$A'000)

Customs tariff division and excise tariff item	Six months ended December—	
	1965	1966p
GROSS EXCISE—		
Beer	155,387	164,784
Spirits, including liqueurs, etc.	12,891	13,864
Tobacco (manufactured)	9,370	8,778
Cigars and cigarettes	98,373	99,113
Petroleum products(a)	99,951	117,788
Playing cards	65	60
Cigarette tubes, paper and papers	443	420
Matches	1,182	1,116
Canned fruit	523	508
Coal	345	344
Other and undistributed excise revenue	—669	655
Total gross excise duties(a)	377,861	407,430
Total gross customs primage and excise duties(a)	538,162	557,104
Less refunds and drawbacks paid	14,119	13,822
Credits to Commonwealth Government departments for duty paid(a)	1,847	2,505
Total net customs primage and excise duties	522,196	540,777

(a) As from July 1964 duty is included in the price of petroleum products purchased by Commonwealth Government departments and is subsequently credited by Commonwealth Treasury to the departments concerned.

VALUE OF COMMODITIES IMPORTED AND EXPORTED—AUSTRALIA

TOTAL IMPORTS

NOTE. See NOTE at head of page 57

(\$A'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Division or group No.	Description	Six months ended December	
		1965	1966p
00	DIVISION 00.—LIVE ANIMALS	724	714
01	DIVISION 01.—MEAT AND MEAT PREPARATIONS		
	Meat—		
011	Fresh, chilled or frozen	29	24
012	Dried, salted or smoked	3	3
013	Canned or bottled	161	241
	Total, Division 01	193	268
02	DIVISION 02.—DAIRY PRODUCTS AND EGGS		
022	Milk and cream	34	28
023	Butter .. .. .	..	..
024	Cheese and curd	1,777	2,043
025	Eggs .. .. .	..	..
	Total, Division 02	1,811	2,071
03	DIVISION 03.—FISH AND FISH PREPARATIONS		
031	Fish, fresh and simply preserved	8,877	6,260
032	Fish, canned or bottled, n.e.s., and fish preparations	6,444	7,389
	Total, Division 03	15,321	13,649
04	DIVISION 04.—CEREALS AND CEREAL PREPARATIONS		
041	Wheat and meslin, unmilled .. .. .	..	..
042	Rice	138	143
043	Barley, unmilled .. .. .	..	..
044	Maize, unmilled	87	104
045	Other cereals, unmilled	19	3
046	Meal and flour of wheat or meslin	4	5
047	Meal and flour of other cereals	38	8
048	Cereal preparations, etc.	1,098	1,260
	Total, Division 04	1,384	1,523
05	DIVISION 05.—FRUIT AND VEGETABLES		
051	Fruit, fresh and nuts	3,151	3,206
052	Dried fruit	143	283
053	Fruit, preserved and fruit preparations	948	1,065
054	Vegetables, fresh, frozen or simply preserved	3,448	2,332
055	Vegetables, preserved or prepared, n.e.s.	1,169	1,676
	Total, Division 05	8,858	8,562
06	DIVISION 06.—SUGAR, SUGAR PREPARATIONS AND HONEY		
061	Sugar and honey	587	661
062	Sugar, confectionery, etc.	602	467
	Total, Division 06	1,189	1,128
07	DIVISION 07.—COFFEE, TEA, COCOA, SPICES AND MANUFACTURES		
071	Coffee	4,692	5,912
072	Cocoa	4,209	4,199
073	Chocolate and other cocoa preparations	195	195
074	Tea and mate	14,121	10,407
075	Spices	877	836
	Total, Division 07	24,096	21,549

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Total Imports—continued

NOTE. See NOTE at head of page 57

(\$A'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Division or group No.	Description	Six months ended December	
		1965	1966p
08	DIVISION 08.—FEEDING STUFF FOR ANIMALS	2,120	3,607
09	DIVISION 09.—MISCELLANEOUS PREPARATIONS FOR FOOD		
091	Margarine, lard and other rendered fats	6	24
099	Food preparations, n.e.s.	594	834
	Total, Division 09	600	858
11	DIVISION 11.—BEVERAGES		
111	Non-alcoholic beverages, n.e.s.	37	27
112	Alcoholic beverages	7,629	5,023
	Total, Division 11	7,666	5,050
12	DIVISION 12.—TOBACCO AND TOBACCO MANUFACTURES		
121	Tobacco, unmanufactured	11,165	8,417
122	Tobacco, manufactures	3,457	3,287
	Total, Division 12	14,623	11,704
21	DIVISION 21.—HIDES, SKINS AND FUR SKINS, UNDRESSED		
211	Hides and skins, undressed	699	781
212	Fur skins, undressed	585	260
	Total, Division 21	1,284	1,041
22	DIVISION 22.—OIL-SEEDS, OIL NUTS AND OIL KERNELS	6,344	3,169
23	DIVISION 23.—CRUDE RUBBER	14,757	14,690
24	DIVISION 24.—WOOD, TIMBER AND CORK		
241	Wood waste and charcoal	5	5
242	Wood in the rough or roughly squared	1,358	1,476
243	Wood, shaped or simply worked	18,204	16,119
244	Cork, raw and waste	198	189
	Total, Division 24	19,764	17,789
25	DIVISION 25.—PULP AND WASTE PAPER	14,583	11,915
26	DIVISION 26.—TEXTILE FIBRES AND THEIR WASTE		
261	Silk	1	1
262	Wool and other animal hair	4,888	3,153
263	Cotton	4,009	2,757
264	Jute	703	874
265	Vegetable fibres, except cotton and jute	3,154	2,992
266	Synthetic and regenerated fibres	6,798	7,026
267	Waste materials from textile fabrics	75	93
	Total, Division 26	19,629	16,894
27	DIVISION 27.—CRUDE FERTILISERS AND CRUDE MINERALS		
271	Fertilisers, crude	9,302	15,186
273	Stone, sand and gravel	371	537
274	Sulphur and unroasted iron pyrites	4,554	7,199
275	Natural abrasives (including industrial diamonds)	1,138	1,179
276	Other crude minerals	6,252	6,162
	Total, Division 27	21,618	30,263

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Division or group No.	Description	Six months ended December	
		1965	1966p
28	DIVISION 28.—METALLIFEROUS ORES AND METAL SCRAP		
281	Iron ore and concentrates	321	167
282	Iron and steel waste and scrap	1	1
283	Ores and concentrates of non-ferrous base metals	1,125	1,607
284	Non-ferrous metal waste and scrap, n.e.s.	312	490
285	Silver and platinum ores	22	46
286	Ores and concentrates of uranium and thorium .. .. .	..	1
	Total, Division 28	1,781	2,311
29	DIVISION 29.—CRUDE ANIMAL AND VEGETABLE MATERIALS, N.E.S.		
291	Crude animal materials, n.e.s.	1,826	2,057
292	Crude vegetable materials, n.e.s.	3,385	3,335
	Total, Division 29	5,210	5,392
32	DIVISION 32.—COAL, COKE AND BRIQUETTES	415	273
33	DIVISION 33.—PETROLEUM AND PETROLEUM PRODUCTS		
331	Petroleum, crude and partly refined	100,893	103,618
332	Petroleum products	30,958	19,040
	Total, Division 33	131,851	122,658
34	DIVISION 34.—PETROLEUM GASES AND OTHER GASEOUS HYDRO-CARBONS	5	12
41	DIVISION 41.—ANIMAL OILS AND FATS	992	777
42	DIVISION 42.—FIXED VEGETABLE OILS AND FATS		
421	Soft	3,942	4,069
422	Other than soft	1,854	2,712
	Total, Division 42	5,796	6,781
43	DIVISION 43.—ANIMAL AND VEGETABLE OILS, FATS AND WAXES ..	810	665
51	DIVISION 51.—CHEMICAL ELEMENTS AND COMPOUNDS		
512	Organic chemicals	33,403	34,051
513	Inorganic chemicals, elements, metallic oxides, etc.	6,561	6,102
514	Other inorganic chemicals	6,957	7,067
515	Radioactive and associated materials	313	257
	Total, Division 51	47,233	47,477
52	DIVISION 52.—MINERAL TAR AND CRUDE CHEMICALS FROM COAL, PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS	1,889	1,373
53	DIVISION 53.—DYEING, TANNING AND COLOURING MATERIALS		
531	Synthetic organic dyestuffs, natural indigo, etc.	4,962	5,847
532	Dyeing and tanning extracts, synthetic tanning materials	460	750
533	Pigments, paints and varnishes, etc.	2,525	3,169
	Total, Division 53	7,947	9,766
54	DIVISION 54.—MEDICINAL AND PHARMACEUTICAL PRODUCTS ..	18,092	17,235

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Division or group No.	Description	Six months ended December	
		1965	1966p
55	DIVISION 55.—ESSENTIAL OILS, PERFUME MATERIALS, TOILET AND POLISHING PREPARATIONS		
551	Essential oils, perfume and flavour materials	2,334	2,576
553	Perfumery and cosmetics, toilet preparations	1,544	2,242
554	Soaps, cleansing and polishing preparations	2,507	2,603
	Total, Division 55	6,384	7,421
56	DIVISION 56.—FERTILISERS, MANUFACTURED	4,681	5,340
57	DIVISION 57.—EXPLOSIVES AND PYROTECHNIC PRODUCTS ..	2,222	2,699
58	DIVISION 58.—PLASTIC MATERIALS, REGENERATED CELLULOSE AND ARTIFICIAL RESINS	36,055	33,711
59	DIVISION 59.—CHEMICAL MATERIALS AND PRODUCTS, N.E.S. ..	16,016	19,029
61	DIVISION 61.—LEATHER, LEATHER MANUFACTURES, N.E.S. AND DRESSED FUR SKINS		
611	Leather	1,653	2,196
612	Manufactures of leather or artificial leather, etc., n.e.s. ..	464	542
613	Fur skins, tanned or dressed (including dyed)	183	136
	Total, Division 61	2,300	2,874
62	DIVISION 62.—RUBBER MANUFACTURES, N.E.S.		
621	Materials of rubber	3,050	3,200
629	Articles of rubber, n.e.s.	12,037	10,030
	Total, Division 62	15,087	13,230
63	DIVISION 63.—WOOD AND CORK MANUFACTURES (EXCLUDING FURNITURE)		
631	Veneers, plywood boards, 'improved' or reconstituted wood, etc.	2,940	3,209
632	Wood manufactures, n.e.s.	1,681	1,429
633	Cork manufactures	678	571
	Total, Division 63	5,300	5,209
64	DIVISION 64.—PAPER, PAPERBOARD AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF		
641	Paper and paperboard	41,071	38,934
642	Articles made of paper pulp, paper or paperboard	3,816	4,372
	Total, Division 64	44,885	43,306
65	DIVISION 65.—TEXTILE YARN, FABRICS, MADE-UP ARTICLES AND RELATED PRODUCTS		
651	Textile yarn and thread	16,227	15,775
652	Woven cotton fabrics (excluding narrow and special fabrics) ..	38,878	34,667
653	Textile fabrics (excluding narrow and special fabrics) other than cotton	25,261	23,187
654	Tulle lace, etc., and other small wares	7,455	5,724
655	Special textile fabrics and related products	7,082	6,954
656	Made-up articles, wholly or chiefly of textile materials, n.e.s. ..	17,879	17,536
657	Floor coverings, tapestries, etc.	9,617	10,212
	Total, Division 65	122,400	114,055

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Division or group No.	Description	Six months ended December	
		1965	1966p
66	DIVISION 66.—NON-METALLIC MINERAL MANUFACTURES, N.E.S.		
661	Lime, cement and fabricated building materials	1,114	876
662	Clay and refractory construction materials	3,328	3,182
663	Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.	4,146	3,860
664	Glass	6,941	7,722
665	Glassware	4,874	5,377
666	Pottery	5,319	4,270
667	Pearls and precious and semi-precious stones	2,888	2,645
	Total, Division 66	28,610	27,932
67	DIVISION 67.—IRON AND STEEL		
671	Pig iron, spiegeleisen, sponge iron, etc.	3,862	2,851
672	Ingots and other primary forms of iron or steel	428	127
673	Iron and steel bars, rods, etc.	14,624	4,407
674	Universal plates and sheets, of iron or steel	11,269	8,452
675	Hoop and strip of iron or steel	4,422	4,292
676	Railway and tramway track construction material	6,133	37
677	Iron and steel wire (excluding wire rod)	2,181	1,650
678	Tubes, pipes and fittings of iron or steel	8,116	7,782
679	Iron and steel castings and forgings, unworked, n.e.s.	75	70
	Total, Division 67	51,109	29,666
68	DIVISION 68.—NON-FERROUS METALS		
681	Silver and alloys and platinum and platinum group metals	376	373
682	Copper and copper-base alloys	2,781	1,276
683	Nickel and alloys, n.e.s.	2,933	2,101
684	Aluminium and aluminium-base alloys	3,046	2,509
685	Lead and lead-base alloys	25	18
686	Zinc and zinc-base alloys	58	58
687	Tin and tin-base alloys	1,542	404
688	Uranium and thorium and their alloys	29	2
689	Miscellaneous non-ferrous base metals and their alloys	924	1,036
	Total, Division 68	11,713	7,777
69	DIVISION 69.—MANUFACTURES OF METALS, N.E.S.		
691	Finished structural parts and structures, n.e.i.	1,868	1,023
692	Metal containers for storage and transport	1,704	1,547
693	Wire products (excluding insulated electric cable) and fencing grills	1,731	1,628
694	Nails, screws, nuts, etc., of iron, steel, or copper	2,924	2,481
695	Tools for use in the hand or machine	10,738	10,108
696	Cutlery	4,949	3,559
697	Household equipment of base metals	2,453	2,433
698	Manufactures of metal, n.e.s.	11,541	10,196
	Total, Division 69	37,908	32,976
71	DIVISION 71.—MACHINERY, OTHER THAN ELECTRIC		
711	Power generating machinery, not electric	49,886	62,788
712	Agricultural machinery, implements and parts	42,534	29,643
714	Office machines	41,842	32,214
715	Metalworking machinery	22,797	19,093
717	Textile and leather machinery	18,084	13,267
718	Machines for special industries	40,221	41,926
719	Machinery and appliances, non-electrical and parts, n.e.s.	72,918	74,518
	Total, Division 71	288,283	273,449

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Division or group No.	Description	Six months ended December	
		1965	1966p
72	DIVISION 72.—ELECTRICAL MACHINERY, APPARATUS AND APPLIANCES		
722	Electric power machinery and switchgear	28,161	31,161
723	Equipment for distributing electricity	5,611	4,207
724	Telecommunication apparatus	20,275	19,919
725	Domestic electrical equipment	4,906	5,411
726	Electric apparatus for medical purposes, etc.	1,036	1,245
729	Other electrical machinery and apparatus	29,322	30,139
	Total, Division 72	89,310	92,082
73	DIVISION 73.—TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT		
731	Railway and tramway vehicles	7,151	1,337
732	Road motor vehicles	126,610	97,149
733	Road vehicles other than motor vehicles	1,674	1,453
734	Aircraft and parts, n.e.s.	43,464	54,012
735	Ships, boats and floating structures	2,859	46,013
	Total, Division 73	181,758	199,965
81	DIVISION 81.—SANITARY, PLUMBING, HEATING AND LIGHTING FIXTURES AND FITTINGS	1,870	1,840
82	DIVISION 82.—FURNITURE	2,216	1,566
83	DIVISION 83.—TRAVEL GOODS, HANDBAGS AND SIMILAR ARTICLES ..	2,321	2,352
84	DIVISION 84.—CLOTHING, ACCESSORIES AND ARTICLES OF KNITTED OR CROCHETED FABRIC		
841	Clothing and accessories (excluding of fur), etc.	8,763	7,954
842	Fur clothing (excluding headgear), etc.	18	25
	Total, Division 84	8,781	7,979
85	DIVISION 85.—FOOTWEAR, GAITERS AND SIMILAR ARTICLES ..	2,892	3,866
86	DIVISION 86.—PROFESSIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CONTROLLING INSTRUMENTS: PHOTOGRAPHIC AND OPTICAL GOODS, WATCHES AND CLOCKS		
861	Scientific, medical, optical, measuring and controlling instruments and apparatus	27,387	28,171
862	Photographic and cinematographic supplies	5,134	6,104
863	Cinematographic film, exposed and developed	2,290	2,191
864	Watches, clocks and parts thereof	7,212	5,674
	Total, Division 86	42,023	42,139
89	DIVISION 89.—MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES, N.E.S.		
891	Musical instruments, recorders and reproducers, etc. ..	7,456	8,436
892	Printed matter	22,271	23,833
893	Articles of artificial resins, plastics, etc.	4,104	3,684
894	Perambulators, toys, games and sporting goods	12,068	10,903
895	Office and stationery supplies, n.e.s.	2,724	2,705
896	Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques	1,452	1,224
897	Jewellery and gold and silversmiths' wares	2,288	2,550
899	Manufactured articles, n.e.s.	6,693	8,174
	Total, Division 89	59,057	61,507

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Division or group No.	Description	Six months ended December	
		1965	1966p
91-96	DIVISIONS 91-96.—COMMODITIES AND TRANSACTIONS, NOT CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO KIND		
911	Postal packages not classified according to kind	1,344	1,415
931	Special transactions not classified according to kind	36,864	47,064
941	Animals, n.e.s. (including zoo animals)	37	17
951	Firearms of war and ammunition therefor	8,296	5,331
961	Coin (other than gold) not being legal tender	9	12
	Total, Divisions 91-96	46,551	53,839
	TOTAL MERCHANDISE	1,508,317	1,466,973
99	DIVISION 99.—NON-MERCHANDISE	20,195	20,595
	GRAND TOTAL	1,528,512	1,487,568

TOTAL EXPORTS

NOTE. *Merchandise and Non-merchandise* exports have been redefined in accordance with international standards recommended by the United Nations. The introduction of this new Export Classification has precluded publication of 1965-66 figures in this table.

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Division or group No.	Description	Six months ended December 1966p
00	DIVISION 00.—LIVE ANIMALS	2,317
01	DIVISION 01.—MEAT AND MEAT PREPARATIONS	
	Meat—	
011	Fresh, chilled or frozen	144,735
012	Dried, salted or smoked	330
013	Canned or bottled and preparations	9,380
	Total, Division 01	154,447
02	DIVISION 02.—DAIRY PRODUCTS AND EGGS	
022	Milk and cream	12,716
023	Butter	34,902
024	Cheese and curd	7,307
025	Eggs	2,287
	Total, Division 02	57,212
03	DIVISION 03.—FISH AND FISH PREPARATIONS	
	Fish—	
031	Fresh or simply preserved	6,471
032	Canned or bottled and preparations	556
	Total, Division 03	7,027

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Division or group No.	Description	Six months ended December 1966p
04	DIVISION 04.—CEREALS AND CEREAL PREPARATIONS	
041	Wheat and meslin, unmilled	118,184
042	Rice	7,362
043	Barley, unmilled	2,676
044	Maize, unmilled	4
045	Other cereal grains, unmilled	6,353
046	Meal and flour of wheat or meslin	9,382
047	Meal and flour of other cereal grains	125
048	Cereal preparations and preparations of flour	11,651
	Total, Division 04	155,737
05	DIVISION 05.—FRUIT AND VEGETABLES	
	Fruit—	
051	Fresh (including nuts fresh or dried)	4,419
052	Dried	14,180
053	Preserved and preparations	18,621
	Vegetables—	
054	Fresh, frozen or simply preserved	1,447
055	Preserved or prepared, n.e.s.	528
	Total, Division 05	39,196
06	DIVISION 06.—SUGAR, SUGAR PREPARATIONS AND HONEY	
061	Sugar and honey	64,778
062	Sugar confectionery and other sugar preparations	571
	Total, Division 06	65,349
07	DIVISION 07.—COFFEE, TEA, COCOA, SPICES AND MANUFACTURES	3,049
08	DIVISION 08.—FEEDING STUFF FOR ANIMALS	3,718
09	DIVISION 09.—MISCELLANEOUS PREPARATIONS CHIEFLY FOR FOOD	1,199
11	DIVISION 11.—BEVERAGES	3,550
12	DIVISION 12.—TOBACCO AND TOBACCO MANUFACTURES	1,221
21	DIVISION 21.—HIDES, SKINS AND FUR SKINS, UNDRESSED	
211	Hides and skins (except fur skins), undressed	51,265
212	Fur skins, undressed	1,638
	Total, Division 21	52,903
22	DIVISION 22.—OIL-SEEDS, OIL NUTS AND OIL KERNELS	119
23	DIVISION 23.—CRUDE RUBBER (INCLUDING SYNTHETIC AND RECLAIMED)	665
24	DIVISION 24.—WOOD, TIMBER AND CORK	4,330
25	DIVISION 25.—PULP AND WASTE PAPER	60
26	DIVISION 26.—TEXTILE FIBRES AND THEIR WASTE	
261	Silk	390,560
262	Wool and other animal hair	82
263	Cotton	1
264	Jute	22
265	Vegetable textile fibres, other	214
266	Synthetic and regenerated man-made fibres	1,025
267	Waste materials from textile fabrics	
	Total, Division 26	391,905

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Division or group No.	Description	Six months ended December 1966p
27	DIVISION 27.—CRUDE FERTILISERS AND CRUDE MINERALS	1,820
28	DIVISION 28.—METALLIFEROUS ORES AND METAL SCRAP	
281	Iron ore and concentrates	14,187
282	Iron and steel scrap and waste	5,105
283	Ores and concentrates of non-ferrous base metals	48,471
284	Non-ferrous metal waste and scrap n.e.s.	2,480
285	Silver and platinum ores and concentrates	84
286	Uranium and thorium ores and concentrates	122
	Total, Division 28	70,448
29	DIVISION 29.—CRUDE ANIMAL AND VEGETABLE MATERIALS, N.E.S.	7,243
32	DIVISION 32.—COAL, COKE AND BRIQUETTES	35,183
33	DIVISION 33.—PETROLEUM AND PETROLEUM PRODUCTS	15,562
34	DIVISION 34.—PETROLEUM GASES AND OTHER GASEOUS HYDROCARBONS	180
41	DIVISION 41.—ANIMAL OILS AND FATS	8,003
42	DIVISION 42.—FIXED VEGETABLE OILS AND FATS	58
43	DIVISION 43.—ANIMAL AND VEGETABLE OILS, FATS AND WAXES	521
51	DIVISION 51.—CHEMICAL ELEMENTS AND COMPOUNDS	
512	Organic chemicals	1,944
513	Inorganic chemicals	2,784
514	Other inorganic chemicals	476
515	Radioactive and associated materials	10
	Total, Division 51	5,216
52	DIVISION 52.—MINERAL TAR AND CRUDE CHEMICALS FROM COAL PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS	235
53	DIVISION 53.—DYEING, TANNING AND COLOURING MATERIALS	2,643
54	DIVISION 54.—MEDICINAL AND PHARMACEUTICAL PRODUCTS	7,266
55	DIVISION 55.—ESSENTIAL OILS, PERFUME MATERIALS, TOILET AND POLISHING PREPARATIONS	1,869
56	DIVISION 56.—FERTILISERS, MANUFACTURED	49
57	DIVISION 57.—EXPLOSIVES AND PYROTECHNIC PRODUCTS	1,263
58	DIVISION 58.—PLASTIC MATERIALS, REGENERATED CELLULOSE AND ARTIFICIAL RESINS	4,251
59	DIVISION 59.—CHEMICAL MATERIALS AND PRODUCTS, N.E.S.	8,574
61	DIVISION 61.—LEATHER, LEATHER MANUFACTURES, N.E.S., AND DRESSED FUR SKINS	3,210
62	DIVISION 62.—RUBBER MANUFACTURES, N.E.S.	1,314
63	DIVISION 63.—WOOD AND CORK MANUFACTURES (EXCEPT FURNITURE).. .. .	1,264

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Division or group No.	Description	Six months ended December 1966p
64	DIVISION 64.—PAPER, PAPERBOARD AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF	
641	Paper and paperboard	4,448
642	Articles made of paper pulp, paper or paperboard	961
	Total, Division 64	5,409
65	DIVISION 65.—TEXTILE YARN, FABRICS, MADE-UP ARTICLES AND RELATED PRODUCTS	
651	Textile yarn and thread	1,345
652	Woven cotton fabrics (excluding narrow and special fabrics)	813
653	Textile fabrics (excluding narrow and special fabrics) other than cotton	1,748
654	Tulle, lace, etc., and other small wares	171
655	Special textile fabrics and related products	660
656	Made-up articles, wholly or chiefly of textile materials, n.e.i.	634
657	Floor coverings, tapestries, etc.	401
	Total, Division 65	5,772
66	DIVISION 66.—NON-METALLIC MINERAL MANUFACTURES, N.E.S.	
661	Lime, cement and fabricated building materials	389
662	Clay and refractory construction materials	259
663	Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.	685
664	Glass	449
665	Glassware	454
666	Pottery	23
667	Pearls and precious and semi-precious stones	7,009
	Total, Division 66	9,268
67	DIVISION 67.—IRON AND STEEL	
671	Pig iron, spiegeleisen, sponge iron, etc.	3,860
672	Ingots and other primary forms of iron or steel	15,971
673	Iron and steel bars, rods, etc.	11,960
674	Universals, plates and sheets of iron or steel	23,710
675	Hoop and strip of iron or steel	602
676	Railway and tramway track construction material	622
677	Iron and steel wire (except wire rod)	1,393
678	Tubes, pipes and fittings of iron or steel	5,669
679	Iron and steel casting and forgings, unworked, n.e.s.	250
	Total, Division 67	64,035
68	DIVISION 68.—NON-FERROUS METALS	
681	Silver and alloys and platinum and platinum group metals	834
682	Copper and copper-base alloys	15,350
683	Nickel and alloys, n.e.s.	104
684	Aluminium and aluminium-base alloys	7,757
685	Lead and lead-base alloys	28,890
686	Zinc and zinc-base alloys	16,128
687	Tin and tin-base alloys	10
688	Uranium and thorium and their alloys .. .. .	..
689	Miscellaneous non-ferrous base metals and their alloys	1,133
	Total, Division 68	70,208

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Division or group No.	Description	Six months ended December 1966p
69	DIVISION 69.—MANUFACTURES OF METAL, N.E.S.	
691	Finished structural parts and structures, n.e.s.	5,496
692	Metal containers for storage and transport	1,923
693	Wire products (excluding insulated electric cable) and fencing grills	1,065
694	Nails, screws, nuts, etc., of iron, steel or copper	841
695	Tools for use in the hand or machines	2,430
696	Cutlery	440
697	Household equipment of base metals	482
698	Manufactures of metal, n.e.s.	4,703
	Total, Division 69	17,378
71	DIVISION 71.—MACHINERY, OTHER THAN ELECTRIC	
711	Power generating machinery, not electric	3,073
712	Agricultural machinery, implements and parts	4,824
714	Office machines	1,369
715	Metalworking machinery	1,401
717	Textile and leather machinery	929
718	Machines for special industries	7,987
719	Machinery and appliances, non-electrical and parts, n.e.s.	8,921
	Total, Division 71	28,503
72	DIVISION 72.—ELECTRICAL MACHINERY, APPARATUS AND APPLIANCES	
722	Electric power machinery and switchgear	2,704
723	Equipment for distributing electricity	1,545
724	Telecommunications apparatus	2,219
725	Domestic electrical equipment	2,160
726	Electric apparatus for medical purposes, etc.	524
729	Other electrical machinery and apparatus	4,468
	Total, Division 72	13,619
73	DIVISION 73.—TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT	
731	Railway and tramway vehicles	1,342
732	Road motor vehicles	24,418
733	Road vehicles other than motor vehicles	211
734	Aircraft and parts, n.e.s.	3,580
735	Ships, boats and floating structures	2,692
	Total, Division 73	32,243
81	DIVISION 81.—SANITARY, PLUMBING, HEATING AND LIGHTING FIXTURES AND FITTINGS	746
82	DIVISION 82.—FURNITURE	430
83	DIVISION 83.—TRAVEL GOODS, HANDBAGS AND SIMILAR ARTICLES	65
84	DIVISION 84.—CLOTHING, ACCESSORIES AND ARTICLES OF KNITTED OR CROCHETED FABRIC	2,074
85	DIVISION 85.—FOOTWEAR, GAITERS AND SIMILAR ARTICLES	242

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Division or group No.	Description	Six months ended December 1966p
86	DIVISION 86.—PROFESSIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CONTROLLING INSTRUMENTS; PHOTOGRAPHIC AND OPTICAL GOODS, WATCHES AND CLOCKS	
861	Scientific, medical, optical, measuring and controlling instruments and apparatus	4,077
862	Photographic and cinematographic supplies	1,350
863	Cinematographic film, exposed and developed	179
864	Watches and clocks and parts therefor	275
	Total, Division 86	5,882
89	DIVISION 89.—MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES, N.E.S.	
891	Musical instruments, sound recorders and reproducers and parts and accessories therefor	492
892	Printed matter	3,804
893	Articles of artificial resins, plastics, etc.	959
894	Perambulators, toys, games and sporting goods	2,124
895	Office and stationery supplies, n.e.s.	381
896	Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques	438
897	Jewellery and gold and silversmiths' wares	341
899	Manufactured articles, n.e.s.	1,227
	Total, Division 89	9,765
9(A)	DIVISION 9(A).—COMMODITIES AND TRANSACTIONS NOT ELSEWHERE SPECIFIED ..	16,632
	TOTAL MERCHANDISE	1,402,447
9(B)	DIVISION 9(B).—NON-MERCHANDISE	42,777
	GRAND TOTAL	1,445,224

TOTAL QUANTITIES OF SPECIFIED COMMODITIES EXPORTED FROM AUSTRALIA

Group or commodity classification number	Description	Six months ended December	
		1965	1966p
	Meat, fresh, chilled or frozen—		
011.10	Of bovine animals '000 lb	313,265	329,149
011.20	Of sheep, lambs and goats '000 lb	82,654	110,376
011.60	Edible offals '000 lb	27,383	29,317
	Milk and cream—		
022.10	Evaporated or condensed '000 lb	31,249	26,950
022.20	Dried '000 lb	28,509	55,433
023	Butter '000 lb	101,147	127,866
024	Cheese and curd '000 lb	30,953	26,423
031	Fish, fresh and simply preserved '000 lb	(a)	5,945
032	Fish, canned or bottled, and fish preparations '000 lb	(a)	1,126

(a) Comparable figures are not available for 1965–66.

Total Quantities of Specified Commodities Exported from Australia—*continued*

Group or commodity classification number	Description	Six months ended December	
		1965	1966p
041	Wheat and meslin, unmilled '000 tons	2,866	2,098
042	Rice '000 tons	38	57
043	Barley, unmilled '000 tons	30	53
044	Maize, unmilled '000 tons	..	..
045.20	Oats, unmilled '000 tons	64	80
046.01	Flour '000 lb	413,123	282,711
	Fresh fruit—		
051.10	Oranges, tangerines, mandarines and clementines .. '000 bushels	(a)	1,094
051.20	Other citrus fruit '000 bushels	(a)	16
051.30	Bananas '000 bushels	(a)	..
051.40	Apples '000 bushels	(a)	247
051.92	Pears and quinces '000 bushels	(a)	42
052	Dried fruit '000 lb	(a)	100,355
053.30	Jams, marmalades, etc. '000 lb	6,105	4,356
053.90	Fruits and nuts, canned, bottled, etc. '000 lb	(a)	139,902
061.10.09	Cane sugar, raw '000 tons	781	903
061.20.21	Refined cane sugar, excluding icing sugar '000 tons	7	8
061.60	Natural honey '000 tons	3	..
062	Sugar confectionery and other sugar preparations '000 lb	(a)	1,518
07	Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof '000 lb	(a)	7,970
112.10	Wine of fresh grapes '000 gal	(a)	1,003
112.30	Beer made from malt '000 gal	(a)	855
12	Tobacco and tobacco manufactures '000 lb	(a)	949
	Hides and skins (except fur skins), undressed—		
211.10	Bovine and equine hides '000 lb	59,343	63,037
211.20	Calf skins and kip skins '000 lb	4,920	5,397
211.60	Sheep and lamp skins with wool on '000 lb	98,063	105,552
243.10	Railway or tramway sleepers '000 sup ft	3,274	19,167
262(b)	Total wool—greasy equivalent '000 lb	777,100	735,740
281.30	Iron ore and concentrates '000 tons	53,453	1,679,984
281.40	Roasted iron pyrites '000 tons	(a)	..
282	Iron and steel scrap and waste, for recovery of metal or manufacture of chemicals '000 cwt	3,208	5,268
	Ores and concentrates of non-ferrous base metals—		
283.11	Copper '000 cwt	411	523
283.12	Copper matte (including copper-lead matte) '000 cwt	61	79
283.20	Nickel '000 cwt	(a)	10
283.40	Lead '000 cwt	1,112	1,019
283.50	Zinc '000 cwt	2,422	1,828
283.60	Tin '000 cwt	18	1,185
283.70	Manganese '000 cwt	795	2,183
283.92	Tungsten '000 cwt	20	19
283.93	Titanium, vanadium and molybdenum, tantalum and niobium and zirconium '000 cwt	(a)	8,385
283.98	Non-ferrous base metals, n.e.s. '000 cwt	(a)	7
284	Non-ferrous metal waste and scrap, n.e.s. '000 cwt	(a)	1,505
321.40	Coal (anthracite bituminous and sub-bituminous) excluding briquettes '000 tons	3,866	4,353
	Petroleum products—		
332.10	Motor spirit (automotive and aviation), gasoline and other petroleum spirits having a flash point of less than 73° F '000 gal	(a)	32,609
332.20	Kerosene, jet fuel, white spirit (mineral turpentine) and other refined burning oils '000 gal	(a)	9,375
332.30	Distillate fuels '000 gal	(a)	56,260
411.10	Oils and fats, of fish and marine mammals '000 gal	(a)	690
411.33	Lard stearin, oleostearin and tallow stearin; lard oil, etc., not emulsified, mixed or prepared '000 cwt	(a)	43

(a) Comparable figures are not available for 1965–66. Wool (Australian Produce).

(b) For further details see monthly statement 'Exports of

Total Quantities of Specified Commodities Exported from Australia—*continued*

Group or commodity classification number	Description	Six months ended December	
		1965	1966p
554.10	Soap including medicated soap	'000 lb (a)	5,171
599.52	Gluten and gluten flour	'000 lb 3,312	53
	Paper and paperboard—		
641.21	Uncoated printing and writing paper	'000 tons (a)	11
641.60	Building board of wood pulp or vegetable fibre ..	'000 sq ft 40,384	35,603
641.91	Parchment or greaseproof paper and paperboard, etc.	tons 576	1,200
651.20	Yarn of sheep's or lambs' wool	'000 lb 124	209
651.66	Yarn of continuous synthetic fibres	'000 lb (a)	306
651.76	Yarn of continuous regenerated fibres	'000 lb (a)	3
671.20	Pig iron and cast iron	'000 tons (a)	69
672	Ingots and other primary forms of iron or steel ..	'000 cwt (a)	5,506
673	Iron and steel bars, rods, etc.	'000 cwt (a)	2,743
674	Universals, plates and sheets of iron or steel ..	'000 cwt (a)	4,288
675	Hoop and strip of iron or steel	'000 cwt (a)	97
677	Iron and steel wire (except wire rod)	'000 cwt (a)	171
678	Tubes, pipes and fittings of iron or steel	'000 cwt (a)	5
	Copper and copper-base alloys—		
682.12.01	Refined copper, unworked	'000 cwt 406	30
682.21	Bars, rods, etc., and wire of solid section ..	'000 cwt (a)	1,092
682.22	Plate, sheets and strip	'000 cwt (a)	21
684.10	Unworked aluminium and aluminium-base alloys ..	'000 cwt (a)	1
	Lead and lead alloys—		
685.10.11	Bullion (lead and silver-lead)	'000 cwt 961	767
685.10.19	Other unworked excluding lead-antimony alloys ..	'000 cwt (a)	1,621
686	Zinc and zinc-base alloys	'000 cwt (a)	1,272

(a) Comparable figures are not available for 1965–66.

SPECIFIED PRODUCTS OF AUSTRALIAN ORIGIN EXPORTED FROM AUSTRALIA

Period	Butter	Meats			Fruits			Wheat	Flour (wheaten) plain white
		Bovine animals	Sheep, lambs and goats	Canned or bottled	Dried	Fresh or frozen	Canned or bottled		

QUANTITY										
Year—	'000 lb	'000 lb	'000 lb	'000 lb	'000 lb		'000 lb	tons	'000 lb	
1961–62 ..	178,108	450,601	146,512	74,788	150,963	} (a) {	188,745	5,441,667	1,158,547	
1962–63 ..	178,861	584,128	194,565	49,773	143,038		172,098	4,070,653	1,047,724	
1963–64 ..	202,152	630,333	193,725	53,701	149,591		284,000	6,796,194	1,369,257	
1964–65 ..	213,839	708,451	219,272	60,428	165,611		228,486	5,624,462	1,144,128	
1965–66 ..	188,366	612,950	213,474	55,633	192,927	} (a) {	309,319	5,075,344	781,458	
Six months ended December—										
1965 ..	101,147	313,265	82,654	32,177	134,285		130,239	2,865,819	407,523	
1966p ..	127,866	329,117	110,376	26,290	100,356		139,902	2,098,224	272,167	

(a) Not available.

Specified Products of Australian Origin Exported from Australia—continued

Period	Butter	Meats			Fruits			Wheat	Flour (wheaten) plain white
		Bovine animals	Sheep, lambs and goats	Canned or bottled	Dried	Fresh or frozen	Canned or bottled		
VALUE (\$A'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)									
Year—									
1961-62 ..	48,510	117,680	21,560	21,031	20,715	26,725	23,838	284,892	34,794
1962-63 ..	49,328	158,530	33,749	13,043	19,104	29,969	21,266	216,905	31,390
1963-64 ..	57,046	176,567	32,634	12,587	21,060	33,156	34,235	362,018	42,238
1964-65 ..	67,401	200,456	40,690	15,797	24,101	30,542	27,584	297,199	37,330
1965-66 ..	57,672	195,532	45,664	14,587	28,442	37,819	37,763	264,062	24,753
Six months ended December—									
1965 ..	32,221	93,903	16,887	8,565	19,714	5,767	15,193	147,254	12,824
1966p ..	34,902	111,447	22,403	9,380	14,180	4,422	17,172	118,184	9,006

Period	Sugar— from cane	Wool		Sheep and lamb skins (a)	Ores and concentrates			Coal	Refined copper, un- worked
		Greasy	Scoured		Iron	Lead	Zinc		
Year—	tons	'000 lb	'000 lb	'000 lb	tons	cwt	cwt	tons	cwt
1961-62 ..	843,537	1,329,358	130,210	174,379	110	1,663,866	5,170,125	3,469,552	254,879
1962-63 ..	1,145,966	1,277,511	136,108	183,384	113	2,693,913	5,525,964	2,676,522	468,090
1963-64 ..	1,116,190	1,380,998	127,244	185,774	12,201	2,369,560	4,552,100	3,805,747	505,717
1964-65 ..	1,269,139	1,334,315	117,838	185,967	96,651	2,038,667	4,061,189	6,051,157	40,294
1965-66 ..	1,252,573	1,322,646	122,889	197,901	337,856	2,365,072	4,876,882	7,654,098	356,619
Six months ended December—									
1965 ..	787,908	659,181	64,228	98,063	53,453	1,112,480	2,422,236	3,865,774	234,055
1966p ..	910,254	643,097	50,469	105,552	1,679,984	1,019,943	1,828,149	4,353,268	29,656

VALUE (\$A'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)									
Year—									
1961-62 ..	67,790	661,050	84,003	48,416	2	8,837	9,256	27,222	7,521
1962-63 ..	91,042	671,306	87,405	55,482	2	13,696	8,811	22,341	13,604
1963-64 ..	156,513	859,492	101,388	73,686	74	15,517	11,227	32,462	14,815
1964-65 ..	112,683	721,252	84,597	59,621	820	19,236	15,260	51,120	1,277
1965-66 ..	93,925	699,774	85,070	63,042	2,705	21,337	16,854	63,133	19,969
Six months ended December—									
1965 ..	62,327	330,219	42,724	30,549	421	10,294	8,279	32,051	12,219
1966p ..	61,175	351,365	38,971	37,432	14,187	8,444	6,873	34,755	1,888

(a) With wool on.

VALUE OF TOTAL IMPORTS ACCORDING TO COUNTRIES
(\$A'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Country of origin	1964-65	1965-66	Six months ended December—	
			1965	1966p
Antilles	2,762	2,531	825	595
Austria	8,202	8,597	4,339	3,866
Bahrain	1,313	1,313	437	1,129
Belgium-Luxembourg	24,880	16,530	9,526	10,122
Brazil	5,041	4,198	2,342	2,230
Brunei	7,232	9,353	4,211	4,562
Canada	117,006	107,972	62,408	55,822
Ceylon	17,277	17,563	10,429	7,204
China, Republic of (Formosa)	4,355	4,270	2,540	2,000
China (Mainland)	22,862	23,460	12,482	12,600
Christmas Island	4,359	6,125	3,337	3,703
Czechoslovakia	6,512	6,590	3,282	3,196
Denmark	6,725	7,016	3,564	3,662
Fiji	3,796	4,052	2,007	2,323
Finland	16,766	14,567	7,631	7,459
France	66,903	91,670	43,910	44,789
Germany (East)	10,328	4,889	2,660	1,789
Germany, Federal Republic of	161,014	168,226	83,888	78,974
Ghana	2,638	5,408	2,618	2,107
Gilbert and Ellice Islands	3,863	1,678	845	877
Greece	1,499	1,923	628	854
Hong Kong	24,414	25,358	13,436	13,526
Hungary	1,419	1,386	810	674
India	40,909	35,012	18,862	14,928
Indonesia	64,034	61,763	31,966	27,618
Iran	26,698	34,159	18,811	15,927
Iraq	12,503	15,087	7,083	7,537
Israel	1,441	1,732	869	674
Italy	50,511	49,701	25,644	25,977
Japan	258,574	280,173	155,384	143,442
Kenya	2,422	1,634	914	892
Korea, Republic of	774	1,761	881	634
Kuwait	31,819	28,255	13,470	15,803
Malaysia(a)	52,322	31,924	20,390	14,032
Mexico	4,004	3,754	1,347	2,145
Nauru	6,399	5,794	1,867	6,483
Netherlands	36,762	40,223	21,675	21,286
New Zealand	46,541	46,859	23,259	22,183
Norway	8,882	10,287	5,449	4,494
Pakistan	13,188	16,390	8,193	10,550
Papua and New Guinea	19,720	17,633	9,568	10,191
Philippines	3,242	2,518	1,359	1,248
Poland	2,476	1,939	994	863
Portugal	3,083	2,545	1,388	1,230
Qatar	19,063	16,352	8,412	8,401
Rhodesia, Southern	3,836	2,490	1,844	62
Saudi Arabia	49,974	45,839	23,801	23,809
Singapore(b) .. .. .	..	3,699	820	4,328
South Africa	16,797	17,401	9,873	8,722
South Arabia, Federation of	5,634	7,166	3,455	4,417
Spain	7,534	6,380	2,836	3,066
Sweden	53,568	51,787	25,251	25,888
Switzerland	35,458	43,011	22,352	20,542
Tanzania	4,967	2,993	1,830	2,004
Togo	633	1,416	472	835
Trucial States	1,931	11,641	6,203	5,435
Uganda	3,612	3,505	1,316	2,289
United Kingdom	761,412	758,751	392,482	351,709
United States of America	692,246	703,597	359,254	389,504
U.S.S.R.	2,167	1,578	831	661
Other Countries (including origin unknown)	38,401	38,068	19,952	23,696
Total all Countries	2,904,703	2,939,492	1,528,512	1,487,568

(a) Includes Singapore to 30 September 1965.

(b) Recorded separately from 1 October 1965.

VALUE OF TOTAL EXPORTS ACCORDING TO COUNTRIES
(SA'000 f.o.b. port of shipment)

Country of consignment	1964-65	1965-66	Six months ended December—	
			1965	1966p
Austria	3,504	3,482	1,501	1,050
Belgium-Luxembourg	59,514	50,570	25,775	28,455
Burma	5,114	4,165	2,230	2,021
Canada	39,914	43,171	20,064	26,098
Ceylon	18,671	17,408	7,714	6,167
China, Republic of (Formosa)	8,137	16,227	7,144	9,697
China (Mainland)	135,633	106,541	65,919	34,548
Christmas Island	2,077	2,676	1,255	1,397
Czechoslovakia	12,330	8,987	4,392	3,308
Denmark	3,974	1,963	847	1,274
Fiji	18,958	17,035	9,452	7,907
France	111,781	118,408	55,511	55,147
Germany (East)	4,028	1,645	697	1,830
Germany, Federal Republic of	83,837	100,300	46,123	36,186
Greece	13,869	7,179	4,201	4,261
Hong Kong	54,757	58,774	27,803	30,180
India	55,400	28,001	9,639	20,636
Indonesia	7,431	5,359	3,281	3,650
Iran	18,449	14,118	3,722	5,284
Ireland	2,629	4,147	1,581	3,322
Israel	2,294	1,263	365	1,235
Italy	85,190	110,244	46,297	64,756
Jamaica	4,669	4,755	2,729	3,135
Japan	440,740	470,410	222,486	275,196
Kenya	2,472	2,507	1,422	1,513
Korea (North)	2,305	5,446	3,840	1,103
Korea, Republic of	3,972	4,849	1,935	3,088
Kuwait	5,242	5,233	2,569	4,613
Lebanon	4,396	2,334	1,481	4,481
Malaysia(a)	82,917	49,770	31,051	29,221
Malta	3,624	2,654	1,465	2,577
Mauritius	4,556	3,668	2,121	2,099
Mexico	18,626	14,119	7,249	6,321
Mozambique	3,852	3,139	835	3,954
Nauru	3,302	4,320	2,310	2,978
Netherlands	20,702	38,985	24,133	12,699
New Caledonia	9,118	10,755	5,088	6,087
New Hebrides	3,241	4,101	1,592	1,828
New Zealand	158,302	171,277	94,362	100,217
Norway	5,801	4,240	1,525	2,760
Pakistan	9,274	7,383	3,996	16,639
Papua and New Guinea	58,517	72,722	36,661	41,692
Peru	2,650	2,762	1,476	1,461
Philippines	20,920	23,990	9,575	16,628
Poland	14,380	16,877	7,239	8,711
Rhodesia, Southern	3,786	5,072	3,016	520
Saudi Arabia	5,431	6,321	3,034	4,321
Singapore(b) .. .. .	..	34,004	10,768	28,655
South Africa	24,765	22,204	9,348	16,705
South Arabia, Federation of	7,119	7,901	3,636	3,969
Spain	9,597	12,094	5,023	8,458
Sweden	8,584	9,135	3,789	3,251
Switzerland	4,136	4,789	2,594	2,057
Thailand	13,855	15,573	6,366	12,448
Trinidad and Tobago	4,271	3,613	2,152	2,280
Turkey	10,183	11,524	4,692	6,279
United Arab Republic	5,849	8,403	7,177	599
United Kingdom	516,226	473,358	233,187	195,857
United States of America	264,193	338,388	162,377	190,781
U.S.S.R.	76,441	47,892	33,399	14,987
Yugoslavia	11,958	15,095	8,879	8,764
Other Countries	46,526	52,301	24,294	41,675
*For Orders' (including destination unknown)..	7,460	5,327	2,701	6,208
Total all Countries	2,651,449	2,720,953	1,339,085	1,445,224

(a) Includes Singapore to 30 September 1965.

(b) Recorded separately from 1 October 1965.

SECTION VIII. BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

(\$ million)

YEARS

	1961-62	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66p
CURRENT ACCOUNT(a)—					
Exports f.o.b.(b)	2,128	2,123	2,732	2,575	2,636
Imports f.o.b.(b)	1,701	2,065	2,237	2,739	2,826
Balance of trade	427	58	495	-164	-190
Invisible credits—					
Gold production	32	32	29	27	25
Transportation	200	220	254	278	297
Travel	36	35	43	54	59
Property income	80	76	94	119	126
Government	45	48	62	60	76
Miscellaneous	28	36	43	55	55
Transfers	63	67	100	112	119
Invisible debits—					
Transportation	335	374	418	484	519
Travel	82	90	102	114	121
Property income	297	359	396	412	396
Government	35	37	42	51	66
Miscellaneous	51	54	67	86	93
Transfers	113	127	148	172	202
Balance on current account ..	-2	-469	-53	-778	-830
CAPITAL ITEMS(a)—					
Government loans overseas ..	13	93	22	-20	-25
Other official capital movements ..	..	-10	-60	-19	44
Marketing authorities ..	-66	10	30	-60	38
Other identified capital movements ..	280	427	420	508	418
Balancing item	-49	95	91	72	416
Net apparent capital inflow ..	178	615	503	481	891
Monetary movements(a)—					
Change in net I.M.F. position ..	158	23	..	22	40
Change in international reserves ..	19	128	447	-318	21
Other	-1	-5	3	-1	..
Net monetary movements ..	176	146	450	-297	61

For footnotes see page 78.

Balance of payments—*continued*

(\$'000)

QUARTERS

	Sept. quarter 1965p	Dec. quarter 1965p	March quarter 1966p	June quarter 1966p	Sept. quarter 1966p	Dec. quarter 1966p
CURRENT ACCOUNT(a)—						
Exports f.o.b.(b)	641	664	639	692	692	705
Imports f.o.b.(b)	800	734	657	635	707	650
Balance of trade	-159	-70	-18	57	-15	55
Invisible credits—						
Gold production	6	6	6	7	6	6
Transportation	75	77	74	71	79	77
Travel	13	15	16	15	14	17
Property income	32	28	33	33	39	30
Government	17	16	22	21	19	19
Miscellaneous	14	17	13	11	13	12
Transfers	28	29	30	32	34	31
Invisible debits—						
Transportation	128	133	126	132	132	132
Travel	27	23	29	42	28	26
Property income	103	104	91	98	104	128
Government	13	14	19	20	17	19
Miscellaneous	27	22	20	24	25	22
Transfers	44	51	48	59	50	57
Balance on current account	-316	-229	-157	-128	-167	-137
CAPITAL ITEMS(a)—						
Government loans overseas	-1	21	-34	-11	-67	-20
Other official capital movements	24	41	7	-28	-10	7
Marketing authorities	-7	-6	34	17	14	-7
Other identified capital movements	190	198	167	279	168	120
Balancing item						
Net apparent capital inflow	206	254	174	257	105	100
Monetary movements(a)—						
Change in net I.M.F. position	22	9	..	9	..	..
Change in international reserves	-133	18	15	121	-89	-38
Other	1	-2	2	-1	27	1
Net monetary movements	-110	25	17	129	-62	-37

(a) For current account balances, minus sign (—) denotes deficit; for capital items other than monetary movements, minus sign (—) denotes outflow; for monetary movements, minus sign (—) denotes decrease in international reserves or net I.M.F. position or an increase in foreign holdings of Australian currency. (b) The amounts shown represent the recorded trade figures adjusted for balance of payments purposes. Adjustments affect both coverage and valuation.

SECTION IX. NATIONAL ACCOUNTS

NATIONAL PRODUCTION ACCOUNT

(\$ million)

	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	1965-66				1966-67	
				Sept. quarter	Dec. quarter	March quarter	June quarter	Sept. quarter	Dec. quarter
	r	r	r	r	r	r	r	r	
Wages, salaries and supplements	8,792	9,809	10,592	2,609	2,751	2,547	2,685	2,822	2,967
Gross operating surplus of trading enterprises ..	7,375	7,832	7,775	1,911	2,377	1,806	1,681	2,030	2,615
Indirect taxes less subsidies	1,831	2,065	2,224	530	560	542	592	546	584
Gross national product	17,998	19,706	20,591	5,050	5,688	4,895	4,958	5,398	6,166
Imports of goods and services	2,866	3,474	3,625	995	926	851	853	909	849
National turnover of goods and services..	20,864	23,180	24,216	6,045	6,614	5,746	5,811	6,307	7,015
Net current expenditure on goods and services—									
Personal consumption	11,047	11,904	12,531	3,049	3,303	2,997	3,183	3,208	3,503
Financial enterprises..	233	256	279	70	69	68	72	74	76
Public authorities ..	1,776	2,039	2,372	567	614	543	649	614	666
Gross fixed capital expenditure—									
Private	2,875	3,340	3,639	892	962	840	945	902	935
Public enterprises ..	847	998	1,096	248	273	262	314	274	282
Public authorities ..	719	801	872	185	240	188	258	198	253
Increase in value of stocks	137	625	186	75	350	—10	—229	37	392
Statistical discrepancy ..	67	168	93	193	8	88	—198	177	72
Gross national expenditure	17,701	20,131	21,068	5,279	5,819	4,976	4,994	5,484	6,179
Exports of goods and services	3,163	3,049	3,148	766	795	770	817	823	836
National turnover of goods and services..	20,864	23,180	24,216	6,045	6,614	5,746	5,811	6,307	7,015

SECTION X. PRIVATE FINANCE

CHEQUE-PAYING BANKS

Average Liabilities within Australia(a)

(\$ million)

Period	Deposits			Total	Balances due to other banks (b)	Bills payable and all other liabilities	Total liabilities
	Fixed	Current					
		Bearing interest	Not bearing interest				

MAJOR TRADING BANKS(c)

Year—							
1961-62	1,067.6	198.8	2,346.8	3,613.2	16.8	62.2	3,692.1
1962-63	1,193.8	227.1	2,387.4	3,808.4	18.8	70.3	3,897.6
1963-64	1,338.4	257.7	2,589.3	4,185.4	22.0	81.7	4,289.1
1964-65	1,678.6	283.6	2,711.4	4,673.7	23.6	101.4	4,798.7
1965-66	1,943.3	312.1	2,671.6	4,927.1	(d) 38.3	128.7	5,094.0
Quarter ended—							
September 1965 ..	1,836.8	308.3	2,535.2	4,680.3	21.4	120.9	4,822.6
December 1965 ..	1,915.6	305.2	2,653.5	4,874.3	19.3	131.2	5,024.8
March 1966	2,012.2	322.3	2,801.3	5,135.8	(d) 80.1	128.0	5,343.8
June 1966	2,011.6	313.1	2,705.1	5,030.0	(d) 34.1	134.8	5,198.7
September 1966 ..	2,020.4	321.8	2,641.6	4,983.9	26.5	146.5	5,156.9
December 1966 ..	2,052.6	328.9	2,825.5	5,207.0	24.7	149.3	5,381.0

OTHER CHEQUE-PAYING BANKS(e)

Year—							
1961-62	43.2	42.7	94.2	180.1	3.5	62.7	246.4
1962-63	61.7	39.5	102.6	203.8	3.3	81.1	288.2
1963-64	84.3	43.4	116.9	244.6	3.9	92.2	340.8
1964-65	106.0	45.0	127.2	278.2	4.9	102.5	385.6
1965-66	129.7	48.8	126.1	304.7	(d) 7.8	111.2	423.7
Quarter ended—							
September 1965 ..	122.7	47.3	117.5	287.4	3.8	108.1	399.4
December 1965 ..	129.3	47.1	124.4	300.8	7.1	110.1	418.0
March 1966	133.1	47.5	134.4	315.1	(d) 11.5	112.4	439.0
June 1966	134.1	53.2	128.6	315.9	(d) 9.0	114.2	439.2
September 1966 ..	135.5	52.0	127.0	314.5	8.1	117.8	440.4
December 1966 ..	137.8	53.0	134.9	325.7	10.0	119.9	455.6

ALL CHEQUE-PAYING BANKS

Year—							
1961-62	1,110.7	241.5	2,441.0	3,793.2	20.3	124.9	3,938.5
1962-63	1,255.5	266.6	2,490.0	4,012.2	22.1	151.4	4,185.7
1963-64	1,422.7	301.1	2,706.2	4,430.0	25.9	173.9	4,629.8
1964-65	1,784.7	328.6	2,838.7	4,951.9	28.5	203.9	5,184.3
1965-66	2,073.0	361.0	2,797.8	5,231.8	(d) 46.1	239.9	5,517.7
Quarter ended—							
September 1965 ..	1,959.5	355.5	2,652.7	4,967.7	25.2	229.0	5,221.9
December 1965 ..	2,044.9	352.2	2,778.0	5,175.1	26.4	241.3	5,442.8
March 1966	2,145.3	369.8	2,935.7	5,450.8	(d) 91.6	240.4	5,782.8
June 1966	2,145.8	366.3	2,833.8	5,345.9	(d) 43.1	249.0	5,638.0
September 1966 ..	2,155.9	373.8	2,768.6	5,298.4	34.6	264.3	5,597.2
December 1966 ..	2,190.4	382.0	2,960.4	5,532.7	34.7	269.2	5,836.6

(a) Averages of liabilities at close of business on Wednesdays in periods. (b) includes short-term loans from the Reserve Bank. (c) These comprise the Commonwealth Trading Bank, Australia and New Zealand Bank Ltd, The Bank of Adelaide, Bank of New South Wales, The Commercial Bank of Australia Ltd, The Commercial Banking Company of Sydney Ltd, The English, Scottish and Australian Bank Ltd, The National Bank of Australasia Ltd. (d) Includes loans by Reserve Bank to trading banks to finance abnormal holding of currency during the changeover to decimal currency. (e) These comprise the Bank of China, Bank of New Zealand, The Brisbane Permanent Building and Banking Co. Ltd, Banque Nationale de Paris, The General Bank Department of the Rural Bank of New South Wales, The State Bank of South Australia and the Rural Department of the Rural and Industries Bank of Western Australia.

Cheque-paying Banks—continued
Average Assets within Australia(a)
(\$ million)

Period	Cash and cash balances (b)	Commonwealth and State Government Securities		Other securities	Loans to authorised dealers in the short-term money market	Statutory reserve deposit account with Reserve Bank	Loans, advances, and bills discounted (d)	All other assets	Total assets
		Treasury bills and Treasury notes(c)	Other						

MAJOR TRADING BANKS(e)

Year—									
1961-62..	143.7	69.1	740.2	45.2	61.9	434.5	2,004.4	250.1	3,749.0
1962-63..	138.8	68.6	748.7	52.2	64.0	423.6	2,121.1	324.7	3,941.7
1963-64..	137.1	109.6	866.2	59.1	64.4	530.3	2,212.7	308.8	4,288.3
1964-65..	144.6	114.1	932.3	67.5	74.6	700.6	2,430.1	308.6	4,772.5
1965-66..	f 160.8	87.7	987.4	72.0	70.6	606.8	2,708.7	349.3	5,043.2
Quarter ended—									
September 1965..	142.7	46.5	868.6	70.5	60.8	648.0	2,663.3	313.2	4,813.7
December 1965..	148.2	87.9	929.6	69.5	67.5	645.5	2,671.9	328.6	4,948.7
March 1966..	f 197.6	168.2	1,117.0	73.2	82.2	648.7	2,673.4	335.9	5,296.2
June 1966..	f 156.7	54.4	1,039.8	74.4	72.7	491.1	2,820.6	417.0	5,126.6
September 1966..	144.6	49.8	1,051.5	75.5	84.8	467.3	2,876.9	397.8	5,148.0
December 1966..	151.4	70.8	1,174.0	75.4	79.7	472.6	2,930.9	414.1	5,368.9

OTHER CHEQUE-PAYING BANKS(g)

Year—									
1961-62..	11.2	0.8	43.9	7.4	4.7	0.9	211.8	23.6	304.4
1962-63..	10.8	3.6	45.0	7.9	4.5	0.9	244.1	25.2	342.0
1963-64..	6.5	4.9	63.4	8.5	9.5	1.0	275.2	28.2	397.2
1964-65..	7.0	6.9	85.4	5.3	10.4	1.1	301.9	30.8	448.8
1965-66..	f 9.9	1.4	93.4	7.5	13.2	1.0	331.4	34.6	492.3
Quarter ended—									
September 1965..	9.2	0.1	79.1	3.6	11.8	1.1	330.4	34.4	469.8
December 1965..	11.0	0.5	86.3	5.9	13.6	1.0	333.1	35.1	486.4
March 1966..	f 9.7	2.0	106.4	12.1	14.4	1.1	325.7	34.1	505.5
June 1966..	f 9.6	3.1	102.0	8.5	12.9	1.0	336.0	34.7	507.9
September 1966..	8.5	0.9	97.5	7.3	19.3	1.0	342.6	34.3	511.4
December 1966..	7.2	2.0	111.3	7.9	13.6	1.0	348.2	34.8	525.9

ALL CHEQUE-PAYING BANKS

Year—									
1961-62..	154.9	69.9	784.1	52.6	66.6	435.5	2,216.2	273.7	4,053.4
1962-63..	149.6	72.1	793.7	60.1	68.4	424.5	2,365.3	349.9	4,283.7
1963-64..	143.6	114.5	929.7	67.6	73.9	531.4	2,487.9	337.0	4,685.5
1964-65..	151.7	121.0	1,017.7	72.8	85.1	701.6	2,732.0	339.4	5,221.2
1965-66..	f 170.7	89.1	1,080.7	79.4	83.8	607.8	3,040.1	383.9	5,535.5
Quarter ended—									
September 1965..	151.9	46.6	947.7	74.2	72.7	649.0	2,993.7	347.6	5,283.5
December 1965..	159.2	88.3	1,015.9	75.4	81.1	646.5	3,005.0	363.7	5,435.1
March 1966..	f 207.3	170.2	1,223.4	85.3	96.5	649.8	2,999.1	370.0	5,801.7
June 1966..	f 166.2	57.5	1,141.8	83.0	85.7	492.0	3,156.6	451.7	5,634.5
September 1966..	153.1	50.7	1,149.0	82.8	104.2	468.2	3,219.4	432.0	5,659.4
December 1966..	158.6	72.8	1,285.3	83.3	93.2	473.7	3,279.0	448.8	5,894.8

(a) Averages of assets at close of business on Wednesdays in periods. (b) Coin, bullion, Australian notes and cash with Reserve Bank. (c) Prior to July 1962, Treasury Bills and Seasonal Securities, the latter securities being replaced by Treasury Notes. (d) Excludes loans to Authorised Dealers in the Short-term Money Market. (e) See footnote (c), on page 80. (f) Includes abnormal stocks of currency held by banks during the changeover to decimal currency. (g) See footnote (e), on page 80.

RESERVE BANK OF AUSTRALIA
Central Banking Business (including Note Issue Department) and
Rural Credits Departments(a)
(\$ million)

Period	Notes on issue			Deposits of trading banks		Other liabilities (excluding capital and reserve funds)	Gold and foreign exchange	Australian Government securities (including Treasury bills and Treasury notes)	Rural Credits Department
	Held by—		Total	Statutory reserve deposits accounts	Other (b)				Advances
	Banks	Public							
Year—									
1961–62 ..	118.9	736.1	855.0	435.5	62.9	666.0	1,052.1	859.2	137.0
1962–63 ..	126.5	750.1	876.5	424.5	119.0	613.6	1,095.7	829.0	133.4
1963–64 ..	132.7	744.0	876.7	531.4	82.9	698.7	1,399.7	664.1	143.7
1964–65 ..	141.6	745.4	887.1	701.6	62.4	718.6	1,490.7	727.7	161.0
1965–66 ..	c162.6	709.0	c871.6	607.8	66.9	711.3	1,207.6	834.0	195.8
Quarter ended—									
September 1965	144.0	726.2	870.2	649.0	52.7	702.4	1,246.9	845.9	195.3
December 1965	150.4	724.7	875.2	646.5	55.3	706.7	1,168.8	995.7	135.4
March 1966 ..	c201.1	691.4	c892.5	649.8	45.8	722.7	1,173.2	829.8	245.3
June 1966 ..	c156.8	693.7	c850.5	492.0	111.2	712.9	1,284.8	676.5	208.7
September 1966	148.9	717.1	866.0	468.2	97.2	690.8	1,251.4	702.4	136.7
December 1966	153.3	756.5	909.8	473.7	88.9	692.4	1,201.6	829.0	101.1

(a) Averages of weekly figures. (b) Includes Term Loan Fund Accounts established in mid-April 1962 and Farm Development Loan Fund Accounts established in April 1966. (c) Includes abnormal stocks of notes held by banks during the changeover to decimal currency.

AUSTRALIAN NOTES: VALUE OF DECIMAL AND PRE-DECIMAL NOTES OUTSTANDING
(\$ million)

Denomination	December 1962	December 1963	December 1964	December 1965	December 1966
\$1 and 10 shillings ..	28.6	30.0	30.6	31.0	36.7
\$2 and £1 ..	159.1	160.3	157.9	157.6	156.8
\$10 and £5 ..	460.6	467.2	460.0	454.9	483.6
\$20 and £10 ..	362.9	372.0	362.5	353.9	398.1
£20, £50, £100, £1,000 ..	(a) 0.2	(a) 1.8	(a) 1.0	(a) 1.0	0.1
Held by Banks ..	156.7	166.1	179.9	206.0	219.5
Held by Public ..	854.8	865.1	832.2	792.4	855.8
Total ..	1,011.4	1,031.3	1,012.1	998.4	1,075.3

(a) Mainly £1,000 notes.

COMMONWEALTH DEVELOPMENT BANK OF AUSTRALIA
(\$ million)

Period	Advances			Treasury bills	Commonwealth and State Government securities
	Hire purchase	Other	Total		
Year—					
1961-62 ..	39.9	48.7	88.6	0.9	5.0
1962-63 ..	41.5	61.7	103.2	1.5	6.7
1963-64 ..	43.6	71.6	115.3	..	4.2
1964-65 ..	49.1	87.0	136.0	..	1.8
1965-66 ..	52.4	106.8	159.3	..	1.2
Quarter ended—					
September 1965	51.1	99.1	150.2	..	1.0
December 1965	53.4	103.9	157.3	..	1.2
March 1966	52.6	108.5	161.1	..	1.2
June 1966 ..	52.7	115.7	168.5	..	1.2
September 1966	53.1	123.6	176.7	..	1.2
December 1966	55.3	131.7	187.1	..	1.2

CHEQUE-PAYING BANKS

Average Weekly Debits to Customers' Accounts(a)

(Excluding Debits to Australian Government Accounts at Capital City Branches)

(\$ million)

Period	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Total
Year—									
1961-62 ..	654.0	590.0	164.4	116.2	80.4	32.1	2.2	7.9	1,647.1
1962-63 ..	713.1	650.5	185.1	131.6	88.2	35.1	2.5	10.1	1,816.4
1963-64 ..	824.8	733.2	213.2	155.1	96.4	37.1	2.8	11.5	2,073.9
1964-65 ..	935.2	825.3	232.9	170.4	106.3	41.3	3.4	14.5	2,329.3
1965-66 ..	949.0	847.7	232.5	172.8	122.4	43.2	3.8	15.3	2,386.7
Quarter ended—									
September 1965	922.6	803.3	232.9	162.8	107.7	40.5	3.9	14.6	2,288.4
December 1965	952.0	871.6	239.3	177.3	124.1	43.3	4.0	14.8	2,426.4
March 1966 ..	922.7	819.2	218.3	167.9	130.2	41.2	3.4	13.9	2,316.8
June 1966 ..	996.7	894.5	238.3	182.7	128.4	47.6	4.0	17.6	2,509.8
September 1966	1,007.9	894.4	251.0	174.6	123.4	43.7	4.5	15.3	2,514.6
December 1966	1,096.2	976.6	265.4	186.0	138.8	47.5	4.7	17.9	2,732.9

(a) Covers all cheque-paying banks and in addition the Rural Credits Department of the Reserve Bank and the Commonwealth Development Bank.

COMMONWEALTH AND PRIVATE TRADING BANKS

(Major Trading Banks)

New and Increased Lending Commitments and Overdraft Limits

(Source: Reserve Bank of Australia)

(\$ million)

New and Increased Lending Commitments(a)					Overdraft Limits	
Weekly average for period ended second Wednesday of—	Aggregate	Term Loan component	Farm Development Loan component		At second Wednesday of—	Total outstanding (b)
Year—					Year—	
1961-62(c) ..	20.0	..	..		1962 July ..	3,465.6
1962-63(c) ..	22.1	1.9	..		1963 July ..	3,642.7
1963-64(c) ..	22.5	1.7	..		1964 July ..	3,801.0
1964-65(c) ..	21.7	1.4	..		1965 July ..	3,932.2
1965-66(c) ..	22.8	1.3	0.1		1966 July ..	4,089.8
1965-66—					1965-66—	
July ..	20.4	1.8	..		July ..	3,932.2
August ..	21.6	1.0	..		August ..	3,941.0
September ..	20.2	1.6	..		September ..	3,956.6
October ..	19.0	1.0	..		October ..	3,974.2
November ..	21.0	1.6	..		November ..	3,987.7
December ..	20.4	1.0	..		December ..	3,995.3
January ..	22.1	1.7	..		January ..	3,960.8
February ..	20.3	1.2	..		February ..	3,959.0
March ..	24.6	2.0	..		March ..	3,969.4
April ..	24.5	1.3	..		April ..	3,989.2
May ..	25.5	1.0	0.3		May ..	4,020.6
June ..	25.3	1.3	0.4		June ..	4,059.4
1966-67—					1966-67—	
July ..	28.6	1.2	0.4		July ..	4,089.8
August ..	26.8	1.8	0.5		August ..	4,111.4
September ..	25.8	1.7	0.4		September ..	4,146.8
October ..	27.4	2.0	0.6		October ..	4,173.1
November ..	29.0	1.5	0.4		November ..	4,214.4
December ..	30.5	1.8	0.4		December ..	4,260.6

(a) This series comprises all new and increased lending commitments for overdrafts, term loans and from May 1966 farm development loans. Commitments in respect of temporary advances to woolbuyers are excluded.

(b) Excludes limits in respect of temporary advances to woolbuyers, term loans, and farm development loans.

(c) Year ended second Wednesday of July.

COMMONWEALTH AND PRIVATE TRADING BANKS—continued

(Major Trading Banks)

Classification of Advances within Australia(a)

(\$ million)

Classification	July 1964	January 1965	July 1965	December 1965	July 1966
RESIDENT BORROWERS—					
<i>Business advances classified according to main industry of borrower—</i>					
Agriculture, grazing and dairying ..	514.3	512.8	584.1	604.0	650.4
Manufacturing	433.0	448.0	572.9	533.7	620.0
Transport, storage and communication ..	40.9	38.5	42.7	40.7	46.5
Finance	137.4	147.0	139.9	139.4	137.1
Commerce	481.2	446.2	517.9	536.1	558.7
Building and construction	72.8	72.5	84.5	78.5	88.2
Other businesses	197.9	190.0	215.1	210.6	254.1
Unclassified	19.4	20.8	22.8	26.9	25.3
Total business advances—					
Companies(b)	1,087.3	1,091.0	1,291.5	1,286.1	1,408.8
Other(b)	809.5	784.8	888.2	883.8	971.5
Total	1,896.9	1,875.8	2,179.7	2,169.9	2,380.3
<i>Advances to public authorities</i>	<i>18.4</i>	<i>31.9</i>	<i>19.9</i>	<i>32.3</i>	<i>28.7</i>
<i>Personal advances</i>	<i>411.0</i>	<i>404.8</i>	<i>425.4</i>	<i>420.2</i>	<i>460.5</i>
<i>Advances to non-profit organisations</i>	<i>49.7</i>	<i>49.3</i>	<i>49.1</i>	<i>51.9</i>	<i>55.2</i>
Total advances to resident borrowers	2,375.8	2,361.8	2,674.2	2,674.3	2,924.7
NON RESIDENT BORROWERS	1.0	0.8	0.9	1.0	1.0
Total, all advances	2,376.8	2,362.6	2,675.1	2,675.3	2,925.7

(a) Includes Papua and New Guinea. Information is compiled by all banks as at the second Wednesday of the month. (b) The combined advances to these two groups are distributed over the industries above.

Classification of Deposits(a) within Australia(b)

(\$ million)

Classification	July 1964	January 1965	July 1965	December 1965	July 1966
RESIDENT DEPOSITORS—					
<i>Business deposits classified according to main industry of depositor—</i>					
Agriculture, grazing and dairying ..	815.0	892.3	791.1	814.4	801.2
Manufacturing	369.9	319.8	283.8	325.6	284.1
Transport, storage and communication ..	70.5	76.2	72.8	81.0	77.5
Finance	308.0	335.4	311.9	317.9	339.9
Commerce	360.5	422.6	370.2	403.9	382.1
Building and construction	124.0	148.8	137.4	152.7	148.8
Other businesses	495.9	521.6	518.7	565.4	548.8
Unclassified	41.9	44.9	45.6	47.5	62.5
Total business deposits—					
Companies(c)	998.4	1,063.0	982.2	1,115.2	1,074.4
Other(c)	1,527.3	1,698.7	1,549.5	1,593.2	1,570.6
Total	2,525.7	2,761.6	2,531.6	2,708.4	2,645.0
<i>Deposits of public authorities</i>	<i>238.9</i>	<i>223.6</i>	<i>267.0</i>	<i>245.4</i>	<i>242.0</i>
<i>Personal deposits</i>	<i>1,231.5</i>	<i>1,384.9</i>	<i>1,425.8</i>	<i>1,542.0</i>	<i>1,611.0</i>
<i>Deposits of non-profit organisations</i>	<i>169.5</i>	<i>168.7</i>	<i>187.9</i>	<i>193.5</i>	<i>201.4</i>
Total, resident depositors	4,165.5	4,538.9	4,412.3	4,689.3	4,699.4
NON RESIDENT DEPOSITORS	34.9	37.4	43.8	44.8	47.9
Total, all depositors	4,200.4	4,576.3	4,456.0	4,734.1	4,747.4

(a) Excludes the deposits of Commonwealth and State Governments. As at the second Wednesday of the month shown. (b) Includes Papua and New Guinea. (c) The combined deposits of these two groups are distributed over the industries above.

ALL SAVINGS BANKS

Deposits
(\$ million)

Amount on deposit at end of—	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Total
June—									
1962	1,250.0	1,141.7	411.7	362.0	181.0	102.5	6.2	14.7	3,469.8
1963	1,408.0	1,298.1	470.4	416.1	208.8	112.8	7.0	18.5	3,939.7
1964	1,583.2	1,478.9	542.3	475.8	239.8	124.8	8.1	23.3	4,476.2
1965	1,719.6	1,620.4	593.0	519.3	261.7	135.7	9.2	27.7	4,886.6
1966	1,827.8	1,746.0	637.7	558.9	292.9	148.4	10.6	31.6	5,253.7
September 1965	1,746.0	1,662.0	610.3	525.1	271.3	140.7	10.1	28.7	4,994.2
December 1965	1,761.6	1,694.1	618.2	536.4	274.6	142.0	10.1	29.1	5,066.1
March 1966 ..	1,780.7	1,703.3	617.7	546.6	283.6	145.4	10.1	30.3	5,117.6
June 1966 ..	1,827.8	1,746.0	637.7	558.9	292.9	148.4	10.6	31.6	5,253.7
September 1966	1,860.2	1,799.7	658.7	569.0	305.0	153.7	11.5	33.7	5,391.4
December 1966	1,880.4	1,835.2	667.5	576.7	309.9	155.1	11.6	35.1	5,471.4

Selected Assets within Australia(a)

(\$ million)

At end of—	Coin, bullion and Australian notes	Deposits with Reserve Bank	Deposits with trading banks	Australian public securities		Loans to authorised dealers in the short-term money market	Loans, advances and bills discounted	
				Commonwealth and States	Local and Semi-Governmental securities		Housing	Other
June—								
1962	9.9	319.0	111.8	1,665.1	703.9	27.6	678.7	71.4
1963	9.5	366.2	119.0	1,827.2	835.5	39.0	793.9	80.7
1964	10.1	430.2	123.1	1,994.3	955.6	34.2	997.8	96.0
1965	10.8	430.3	117.5	2,066.1	1,092.3	28.8	1,185.2	131.7
1966	10.7	419.2	129.0	2,125.8	1,198.8	34.2	1,358.5	176.5
September 1965	9.7	431.6	110.4	2,118.4	1,120.7	48.6	1,225.4	142.7
December 1965	12.6	434.3	111.1	2,136.8	1,158.9	32.0	1,264.4	154.4
March 1966 ..	10.6	446.1	118.9	2,149.2	1,180.9	43.8	1,296.6	161.4
June 1966 ..	10.7	419.2	129.0	2,125.8	1,198.8	34.2	1,358.5	176.5
September 1966	12.0	416.7	124.0	2,197.9	1,240.3	31.5	1,399.0	192.0
December 1966	14.8	459.2	130.1	2,162.5	1,276.6	21.7	1,444.3	209.2

(a) Includes assets in Papua and New Guinea.

FINANCE COMPANIES: AUSTRALIA

The following statistics contain quarterly details of the lending operations of Finance Companies in Australia, compiled from monthly returns collected from these companies. Information on the scope of these statistics and the definitions of the items is contained in a supplement which is available on request, and is also included in the bulletin *Finance Companies, July 1964–October 1965*, which, in addition, contains more detailed statistics. The 'Finance Companies' covered in the statistics given below, in so far as they provide instalment credit for retail sales, are also included in the existing 'Instalment Credit for Retail Sales' statistics, which will continue to be published.

Summary
(\$ million)

Period	Amount financed during period	Collections and other liquidations during period			Balances outstanding at end of period		
		Contracts including charges	Contracts excluding charges	Total, all contracts	Contracts including charges	Contracts excluding charges	Total, (a) all contracts
Year—							
1964-65	1,752.4	1,021.2	873.1	1,894.3	1,461.4	321.2	1,782.6
1965-66	1,743.1	1,096.5	898.2	1,994.8	1,490.0	373.9	1,863.9
Quarter ended—							
June 1965	450.2	263.5	252.0	515.5	1,461.4	321.2	1,782.6
September 1965 ..	452.0	268.3	223.6	491.9	1,490.1	344.3	1,834.4
December 1965 ..	452.1	277.0	227.8	505.0	1,507.8	356.6	1,864.4
March 1966	386.1	275.8	199.9	475.7	1,490.5	357.5	1,848.0
June 1966	452.9	275.6	246.9	522.5	1,490.0	373.9	1,863.9
September 1966 ..	486.3	277.5	261.5	539.0	1,501.4	385.6	1,887.1

(a) Amounts shown in this column are intended to provide a broad overall measure of balances outstanding. It should be noted, however, that movements in this series may be affected by changes in the proportions of the two components of the series to the total.

Amount Financed by Type of Agreement
(\$ million)

Period	Instalment credit for retail sales	Wholesale hire purchase	Other consumer and commercial loans			Factoring	Total
			Personal loans	Mortgage loans	Commercial loans		
Year—							
1964-65	639.3	482.8	67.1	212.4	257.8	93.0	1,752.4
1965-66	609.5	478.2	69.2	204.2	297.7	84.4	1,743.1
Quarter ended—							
June 1965	154.8	127.0	16.0	52.9	76.4	23.1	450.2
September 1965 ..	162.1	131.1	16.7	47.7	71.9	22.5	452.0
December 1965 ..	158.9	114.9	18.9	53.3	81.9	24.4	452.1
March 1966	141.8	97.0	15.9	47.0	66.2	18.2	386.1
June 1966	146.8	135.2	17.7	56.2	77.7	19.3	452.9
September 1966 ..	152.0	146.5	19.0	70.6	80.6	17.8	486.3

FINANCE COMPANIES: AUSTRALIA—continued
Collections and Other Liquidations of Balances by Type of Agreement
(\$ million)

Period	Contracts including charges				Contracts excluding charges				Total, all contracts
	Instal- ment credit for retail sales	Other consumer and com- mercial loans	Factoring	Total	Whole- sale hire purchase	Other consumer and com- mercial loans	Factoring	Total	
Year—									
1964-65 ..	725.3	285.3	10.5	1,021.2	490.4	285.0	97.7	873.1	1,894.3
1965-66 ..	779.3	310.9	6.3	1,096.5	478.2	326.7	93.4	898.2	1,994.8
Quarter ended—									
June 1965 ..	184.0	77.1	2.5	263.5	122.4	102.8	26.7	252.0	515.5
September 1965	189.7	76.5	2.1	268.3	130.1	70.6	22.9	223.6	491.8
December 1965	193.0	81.7	2.2	277.0	115.6	86.9	25.3	227.8	505.0
March 1966 ..	200.0	75.0	0.8	275.8	105.7	72.3	21.9	199.9	475.7
June 1966 ..	196.7	77.7	1.2	275.6	126.8	96.9	23.2	246.9	522.5
September 1966	196.0	80.2	1.3	277.5	148.3	94.6	18.6	261.5	539.0

Balances Outstanding by Type of Agreement
(\$ million)

At end of	Contracts including charges				Contracts excluding charges				Total, all contracts (a)
	Instal- ment credit for retail sales	Other consumer and com- mercial loans	Factoring	Total	Whole- sale hire purchase	Other consumer and com- mercial loans	Factoring	Total	
Year—									
1964-65 ..	968.8	488.4	4.2	1,461.4	62.2	235.4	23.6	321.2	1,782.6
1965-66 ..	985.1	501.4	3.5	1,490.0	72.1	280.3	21.5	373.9	1,863.9
Quarter ended—									
June 1965 ..	968.8	488.4	4.2	1,461.4	62.2	235.4	23.6	321.2	1,782.6
September 1965	992.7	493.8	3.6	1,490.1	65.7	253.6	25.0	344.3	1,834.4
December 1965	1,007.0	497.1	3.7	1,507.8	67.2	263.4	26.0	356.6	1,864.4
March 1966 ..	988.5	498.7	3.3	1,490.5	60.4	272.6	24.5	357.5	1,848.0
June 1966 ..	985.1	501.4	3.5	1,490.0	72.1	280.3	21.5	373.9	1,863.9
September 1966	988.5	509.6	3.3	1,501.4	71.7	292.9	21.0	385.6	1,887.1

(a) Amounts shown in this column are intended to provide a broad overall measure of total balances outstanding. It should be noted, however, that movements in this series may be affected by changes in the proportions of the two components of the series to the total.

BANKS, ETC., INTEREST RATES

	Rate per annum	Date from which operative	Previous rate per annum
	Per cent		Per cent
LENDING RATES			
Reserve Bank of Australia—			
Rural Credits Department—Government guaranteed loans ..	4.25	15.4.65	4.00
Other	4.50	15.4.65	4.25
Commonwealth Development Bank of Australia(a) ..	7.25	10.3.65	7.00
Trading Banks—overdraft (General)(a)	7.25	10.3.65	7.00
Savings Banks—			
Loans to local government authorities(a)	5.75	8.4.65	5.50
Credit foncier housing and mortgage loans(b) ..	5.00–5.75	1.4.65	4.75–5.50
Loans to co-operative building and housing societies(b) ..	5.00–5.50	1.4.65	4.75–5.25
Life insurance companies—loans on own policies(b) ..	6.00–7.00	May '63	6.50–7.00

DEPOSIT RATES

Trading Banks—fixed deposits—			
30 days but less than 3 months(a) (c)	4.25	10.3.65	3.75
3 months but less than 12 months	4.25	10.3.65	3.75
12 months to 18 months(d)	4.50	10.3.65	4.00
Over 18 months to 24 months	4.50	10.3.65	4.25
Savings Banks—deposits other than fixed deposits—ordinary accounts (e)—			
Commonwealth Savings Bank; The State Savings Bank of Victoria; Australia and New Zealand Savings Bank Ltd; The Bank of Adelaide Savings Bank Ltd; Bank of New South Wales Savings Bank Ltd; Commercial Savings Bank of Australia Ltd; C.B.C. Savings Bank Ltd; E.S. & A. Savings Bank Ltd and the National Bank Savings Bank Ltd—			
\$1–\$6,000	3.50	1.4.65	3.25
Rural and Industries Bank of Western Australia, The Hobart Savings Bank and Launceston Bank for Savings and Savings Bank of South Australia—			
\$1–\$6,000	3.75	1.4.65	3.50

COMMONWEALTH SECURITIES

Long term	5.25(f)	13.4.65	5.00(f)
Medium term	5.00(g)	13.4.65	4.50(h)
Short term	5.00(f)	13.4.65	4.25(i)
Treasury notes (interest yield)	4.26	28.12.66	4.58

(a) Maximum rate. (b) Predominant rates. (c) On deposits of \$100,000 and more only. (d) Prior to 29.9.64, 12 months to 15 months. (e) No interest is payable in excess of the maximum amounts shown. On friendly and other society accounts interest is payable at the same rate as on ordinary accounts up to the maximum amount shown. On amounts in excess of the maximum shown, interest is 2 per cent per annum (previous rate: 1.75 per cent). (f) Issued at par. (g) Issued at 99 per cent. (h) Issued at 99.25 per cent. (i) Issued at 99.625 per cent.

BANK, ETC., INTEREST RATES, AND SECURITY YIELDS

(AVERAGES FOR PERIODS)

(Per cent)

Period	Trading Banks—						Cwlth savings bank deposits (Maximum rate of interest)	Cwlth Govt securities(d)			Private first mortgages registered in N.S.W.—urban and rural securities(e)
	Fixed Deposits				Overdrafts (Maximum rate)			Theoretical 2 years	Theoretical 10 years	Theoretical 20 years	
	30 days but less than 3 months (a)	3 months but less than 12 months	12 months to 18 months (b)	Over 18 months to 24 months (c)	Cwlth trading bank	Private trading banks					
Year—											
1961-62 ..	..	3 91	4.22	..	(f) 7 00	(f) 7 00	3 50	4.59	4 97	5.12	8 8
1962-63 ..	..	3 63	3.88	..	6 88	6 88	3.42	4.21	4 66	4.90	8 9
1963-64 ..	3 75	3 37	3.63	..	6 63	6 63	3.02	3.92	4 36	4 57	8 7
1964-65 ..	3 87	3 87	4.12	4.33	7 08	7 08	3.33	4.66	4 83	5.09	8 8
1965-66 ..	4 25	4 25	4.50	4.50	7.25	7.25	3.50	4.98	5.15	5.25	8 8
Month of—											g.
December 1964	3 75	3 75	4 00	4 25	7 00	7 00	3 25	4 48	4 76	5 01	8 8
March 1965 ..	4 25	4 25	4 50	4 50	7 25	7 25	3 50	4 98	5 12	5 25	8 4
June 1965 ..	4 25	4 25	4 50	4 50	7 25	7 25	3 50	4 95	5 15	5 25	8 7
September 1965	4 25	4 25	4 50	4 50	7 25	7 25	3 50	4 98	5 15	5 26	8 8
December 1965	4 25	4 25	4 50	4 50	7 25	7 25	3 50	4 96	5 15	5 25	8 8
March 1966 ..	4 25	4 25	4 50	4 50	7 25	7 25	3 50	4 99	5 15	5 25	8 6
June 1966 ..	4 25	4 25	4 50	4 50	7 25	7 25	3 50	4 94	5 17	5 25	9 1
September 1966	4 00	4 00	4 25	4 50	7 25	7 25	3 50	4 96	5 17	5 25	9 2
December 1966	4 00	4 00	4 25	4 50	7 25	7 25	3 50	4 51	5 01	5 25	9 1

(a) Prior to 8 April 1964, banks were not permitted to accept fixed deposits for less than 3 months. From 8 April 1964, banks were permitted to accept fixed deposits in excess of \$100,000, for periods of 30 days but less than 3 months at rates not exceeding the maximum rates shown. (b) From 17 November 1960, to 9 September 1962, banks did not accept fixed deposits for periods longer than 12 months. From 10 September 1962, to 28 September 1964, banks were permitted to accept fixed deposits for periods up to 15 months. From 29 September 1964, banks were permitted to accept fixed deposits for periods from 12 to 18 months. (c) From 29 September 1964, banks were permitted to accept fixed deposits for periods over 18 months to 24 months. (d) Source: Reserve Bank. Yields are to last date of redemption. Income-tax rebate of 10c in the dollar has not been taken into account and the effect of brokerage is excluded. Average for the week is centred on last Wednesday of the month. (e) Revised series, including all mortgages for corporations (other than banks and building societies) and individuals, except completely abnormal amounts of \$2m or more in months in which large mortgages are few in number. Annual figures are averages of monthly quotations. (f) Average rate on all advances not to exceed 6 per cent. (g) Average rate on mortgages registered in three months ending with months shown.

OVERSEAS EXCHANGE RATES—AVERAGE TELEGRAPHIC TRANSFER SELLING RATES—SYDNEY ON OVERSEAS COUNTRIES

Country	Basis of Quotation	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	December 1965	December 1966
Belgium ..	Francs to \$A1 ..	55 24	55 25	54 88	55 07	55 11	55 30
Canada ..	Dollars to \$A1 ..	1 20	1 20	1 20	1 20	1 20	1 20
Ceylon ..	Rupees to \$A1 ..	5 26	5 27	5 27	5 27	5 27	5 27
China(a)(b)	New Yuan to \$A1 ..	2 73	2 74	2 74	2 74	2 74	2 74
Denmark ..	Kroner to \$A1 ..	7 67	7 66	7 65	7 66	7 65	7 63
France ..	Francs to \$A1 ..	5 45	5 44	5 42	5 44	5 45	5 48
Germany, Federal Republic of	Deutsche Marks to \$A1 ..	4 44	4 41	4 40	4 45	4 44	4 39
Hong Kong ..	Dollars to \$A1 ..	6 36	6 34	6 35	6 37	6 35	6 36
India ..	Rupee to \$A1 ..	5 28	5 28	5 28	5 47	5 28	8 33
Italy ..	Lire to \$A1 ..	689 00	690 00	690 00	692 00	693 00	690 00
Japan ..	Yen to \$A1 ..	399 25	401 60	399 17	401 02	400 80	400 84
Singapore ..	Dollars to \$A1 ..	3 40	3 41	3 40	3 40	3 40	3 40
Netherlands ..	Guilders to \$A1 ..	4 00	4 00	3 98	4 00	4 01	4 00
New Zealand ..	\$A to £100 N.Z. ..	249 08	249 08	249 08	249 08	249 08	249 08
Norway ..	Kroner to \$A1 ..	7 93	7 92	7 90	7 92	7 92	7 90
Pakistan ..	Rupee to \$A1 ..	5 28	5 28	5 28	5 28	5 28	5 28
South Africa, Republic of	Rands to \$A1 ..	0 795	0 795	0 795	0 795	0 795	0 795
Sweden ..	Kroner to \$A1 ..	5 74	5 73	5 69	5 72	5 74	5 72
Switzerland ..	Francs to \$A1 ..	4 81	4 80	4 79	4 80	4 80	4 79
U.S.S.R.(b) ..	Roubles to \$A1 ..	1 004	1 004	1 004	1 004	1 004	1 004
United Kingdom ..	\$A to £100 stg ..	251 00	251 00	251 00	251 00	251 00	251 00
United States of America	Dollars to \$A1 ..	1 12	1 11	1 11	1 11	1 12	1 11

(a) Mainland. (b) Rates of exchange used in converting import values to Australian currency for purposes of calculating customs duty.

SHORT TERM MONEY MARKET

Selected Assets and Liabilities of Authorised Dealers and Rates of Interest on Loans

(Source: Reserve Bank of Australia)

Month	Liabilities to clients			Selected assets		Interest rates on loans accepted during month				Weighted average interest rate on loans outstanding (b)
	All cheque-paying banks	Other clients	Total	Commonwealth government securities (face value)	Bills of exchange (a)	At call		For fixed periods		
						Minimum	Maximum	Minimum	Maximum	
Average of weekly figures—\$ million						Per cent per annum				
June 1960 ..	54.4	105.4	159.8	164.6	..	2.75	3.50	3.00	3.50	3.25
June 1961 ..	68.8	125.4	194.2	200.8	..	2.50	4.88	3.50	4.83	4.17
June 1962 ..	55.8	177.0	232.8	242.4	..	2.00	4.00	3.00	3.88	3.45
June 1963 ..	58.0	209.0	267.0	286.8	..	2.00	4.25	3.13	4.25	3.75
June 1964 ..	67.2	253.6	320.8	341.2	..	1.50	4.50	3.38	4.50	3.71
June 1965 ..	93.8	218.8	312.6	343.4	7.6	1.50	6.00	2.00	5.53	4.16
September 1965 ..	70.8	260.5	331.4	335.0	12.2	2.00	5.75	4.00	5.38	4.35
December 1965(c) ..	92.1	251.6	343.8	360.8	8.4	1.00	6.13	2.50	5.50	4.07
March 1966 ..	72.9	293.9	366.8	377.0	14.2	2.25	6.25	4.25	6.00	4.49
June 1966 ..	74.8	275.4	350.2	373.3	25.2	3.00	6.10	4.25	5.80	4.73
September 1966 ..	96.1	316.9	413.0	421.3	13.6	2.00	6.00	4.00	5.75	4.44
December 1966 ..	87.4	346.6	434.0	448.2	12.6	2.75	6.25	3.75	6.00	4.53

(a) Since 22 March 1965, authorised dealers have been permitted to hold in addition to Commonwealth Government Securities, a limited proportion of their portfolios in specified bills of exchange. (b) As at last Wednesday.
(c) Excludes one Wednesday.

LIFE INSURANCE BUSINESS IN AUSTRALIA(a)

(EXCLUDING BUSINESS OF THE GOVERNMENT INSURANCE OFFICE OF NEW SOUTH WALES AND THE QUEENSLAND STATE GOVERNMENT INSURANCE OFFICE)

New Policies Issued and Policies Discontinued or Reduced(a)(b)

Period	New policies issued							Policies discontinued or reduced(c) Total sum insured
	Ordinary business		Superannuation business		Industrial business		Total sum insured	
	No.	Sum insured	No.	Sum insured	No.	Sum insured		
		\$ million		\$ million		\$ million	\$ million	\$ million
Year—								
1961-62 ..	318,512	1,233.0	75,458	474.8	165,251	94.0	1,801.9	682.9
1962-63 ..	313,106	1,267.1	80,149	498.7	143,536	105.6	1,871.3	773.8
1963-64 ..	338,655	1,440.7	75,269	631.4	129,301	113.8	2,185.8	905.4
1964-65 ..	346,351	1,550.5	81,265	814.8	127,634	116.7	2,481.9	893.6
1965-66 ..	347,921	1,652.4	93,119	906.2	130,363	125.1	2,683.8	1,121.0
Quarter ended—								
June 1965 ..	88,881	393.0	20,478	169.2	33,129	30.3	592.6	223.1
September 1965	101,516	456.5	24,704	230.5	40,531	37.4	724.4	263.2
December 1965	91,230	459.7	22,660	381.6	30,240	29.5	870.8	358.2
March 1966 ..	65,211	306.3	22,066	113.8	25,199	24.9	444.9	237.4
June 1966 ..	89,964	430.0	23,689	180.2	34,393	33.3	643.4	242.1
September 1966	105,344	498.6	31,346	251.5	40,151	39.4	789.6	278.8
December 1966	95,753	517.0	23,398	374.2	32,082	33.1	924.3	356.1

(a) Includes Papua and New Guinea. (b) Excludes annuity policies. (c) Includes policies matured, surrendered, forfeited or converted to other classes of business, etc.

Life Insurance Business in Australia(a)—continued

Premiums Received, Amounts Paid on Claims, Surrenders, etc., and New Loans Paid Over
(\$'000)

Period	Premiums(b)				Claims, etc., paid(c)				New loans paid over(d)
	Ordinary business	Superannuation business	Industrial business	Total	Ordinary business	Superannuation business	Industrial business	Total	
Year—									
1961-62 ..	265,416	(e)	32,044	297,460	109,570	(e)	27,578	137,148	114,154
1962-63 ..	206,142	79,578	32,078	317,798	89,604	31,432	25,380	146,416	127,318
1963-64 ..	230,664	88,264	33,050	351,978	96,548	37,264	24,446	158,258	160,056
1964-65 ..	248,653	100,572	33,910	383,136	108,558	44,911	25,600	179,071	178,152
1965-66 ..	270,253	120,583	35,568	426,405	120,094	50,807	28,863	199,763	185,965
Quarter ended—									
June 1965 ..	69,246	28,674	8,482	106,401	28,586	11,624	6,644	46,855	49,650
September 1965	69,188	28,856	9,418	107,463	31,156	13,502	7,077	51,736	56,972
December 1965	64,990	28,591	10,861	104,441	30,378	11,377	6,927	48,680	48,085
March 1966 ..	60,083	26,933	6,663	93,679	27,103	11,765	6,976	45,845	36,253
June 1966 ..	75,993	36,203	8,626	120,822	31,457	14,163	7,883	53,502	44,655
September 1966	74,676	32,722	9,939	117,337	35,404	15,434	8,091	58,929	43,086
December 1966	70,085	33,822	10,835	114,743	34,905	15,165	7,400	57,470	43,843

(a) Includes Papua and New Guinea. (b) Includes consideration for annuities. (c) Includes claims paid on account of death or maturity, amounts paid on surrender of policy, annuities and bonuses paid in cash. (d) Excludes advances of premiums. (e) Not available separately, included with Ordinary Business.

Selected Assets held in Australia by Life Insurance Companies(a)

(\$'000)

Class of assets	End of—				
	December 1965	March 1966	June 1966	September 1966	December 1966
Fixed assets	319,880	335,288	354,164	371,830	388,184
Loans (excluding advances of premiums)—					
On mortgage—					
Housing	350,147	353,367	355,587	356,286	363,702
Other	568,428	574,037	586,566	596,213	605,332
On policies	120,472	125,332	129,494	132,043	135,174
Other	41,410	40,576	40,728	40,568	39,934
Total loans	1,080,457	1,093,312	1,112,374	1,125,111	1,144,142
Investments—					
Government securities	798,844	821,064	845,917	872,520	914,855
Local and semi-governmental securities	272,875	275,719	276,190	277,444	278,939
Debentures and notes	339,439	346,439	353,841	365,118	374,743
Shares	437,764	444,358	453,922	467,375	481,502
Other	13,481	13,176	15,991	13,634	14,149
Total investments	1,862,402	1,900,755	1,945,860	1,996,092	2,064,187
Cash on hand and on deposit	2,624	5,131	4,746	4,999	3,147
Total selected assets	3,265,363	3,334,486	3,417,143	3,498,032	3,599,661

(a) Includes Papua and New Guinea. Items shown are the balances according to the companies ledgers at the date at which the information was supplied, without adjustment for items which had not been brought to account at that date.

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NEW CAPITAL RAISINGS BY COMPANIES IN AUSTRALIA

NOTE. The following statistics show the net amount of cash transferred from the investing public to companies in Australia through the types of capital specified. For this purpose the 'investing public' includes banks and life insurance companies (except when subscribing to issues by associated companies) and superannuation funds. The statistics do not include changes in bank overdrafts, loans to authorised dealers in the short-term money market, or deposits accepted by banks, insurance companies, pastoral companies or building societies.

New Money Raised by Companies in Australia—Industry Groups
(\$ million)

Period			Companies listed on stock exchanges			Companies not listed on stock exchanges			Grand total
			Share capital (a)	Debentures, notes, loans and deposits(b)	Total	Share capital (a)	Secured loans (c)	Total	
MANUFACTURING									
Year—									
1961-62	..	..	84.2	58.8	143.0	11.0	3.0	14.0	157.0
1962-63	..	..	40.4	28.0	68.4	10.5	3.5	14.0	82.4
1963-64	..	..	31.9	12.9	44.8	10.0	18.3	28.3	73.1
1964-65	..	..	78.2	28.2	106.4	12.4	19.8	32.2	138.6
1965-66	..	..	94.5	r83.8	r178.3	13.6	12.8	26.4	204.7
Quarter ended—									
June 1965	..	..	16.0	3.7	19.7	4.7	1.9	6.6	26.3
September 1965	..	..	16.8	r28.4	r45.2	4.2	1.9	6.1	r51.3
December 1965	..	..	r41.4	17.9	r59.3	3.5	4.7	8.2	r67.5
March 1966	..	..	5.2	21.2	26.4	1.8	1.8	3.6	30.0
June 1966	..	..	r31.1	r16.3	r47.4	4.1	4.4	8.5	55.9
September 1966	..	..	6.3	63.5	69.8				
FINANCE AND PROPERTY(b)									
Year—									
1961-62	..	..	12.0	90.2	102.2	16.2	5.4	21.6	123.8
1962-63	..	..	11.9	153.0	164.9	12.8	3.8	16.6	181.5
1963-64	..	..	21.8	89.9	111.7	15.5	2.7	18.2	129.9
1964-65	..	..	13.1	119.6	132.7	11.4	1.8	13.2	145.9
1965-66	..	..	25.3	r61.8	r87.1	9.4	4.6	14.0	101.1
Quarter ended—									
June 1965	..	..	2.0	12.5	14.5	2.4	0.4	2.8	17.3
September 1965	..	..	4.3	37.6	41.9	1.3	0.6	1.9	43.8
December 1965	..	..	5.4	14.9	20.3	3.9	0.8	4.7	25.0
March 1966	..	..	8.2	r1.7	r9.9	1.7	0.8	2.5	r12.4
June 1966	..	..	7.4	7.6	15.0	2.5	2.4	4.9	19.9
September 1966	..	..	1.4	32.5	33.9				
COMMERCE									
Year—									
1961-62	..	..	27.4	27.2	54.6	10.2	1.4	11.6	66.2
1962-63	..	..	23.0	34.2	57.2	8.2	2.3	10.5	67.7
1963-64	..	..	44.3	49.0	93.3	7.8	0.6	8.4	101.7
1964-65	..	..	23.0	5.0	28.0	9.6	0.6	10.2	38.2
1965-66	..	..	r25.0	r-9.4	r15.6	10.1	1.6	11.7	27.3
Quarter ended—									
June 1965	..	..	3.2	11.8	15.0	2.6	0.1	2.7	17.7
September 1965	..	..	r3.3	-13.4	r-10.1	2.2	0.4	2.6	r-7.5
December 1965	..	..	8.0	-0.6	7.4	2.6	0.7	3.3	10.7
March 1966	..	..	r10.5	3.8	r14.3	2.3	0.3	2.6	r16.9
June 1966	..	..	3.2	r0.8	r4.0	3.0	0.2	3.2	7.2
September 1966	..	..	9.7	-2.1	7.6				

For footnotes see following page.

New Money Raised by Companies in Australia—Industry Groups—continued
(*\$ million*)

Period	Companies listed on stock exchanges			Companies not listed on stock exchanges			Grand total	
	Share capital (a)	Debentures, notes, loans and deposits(b)	Total	Share capital (a)	Secured loans (c)	Total		
OTHER INDUSTRIES								
Year—								
1961-62	28.8	23.0	51.8	14.4	4.0	18.4	70.2	
1962-63	29.5	14.9	44.4	11.4	3.9	15.3	59.7	
1963-64	28.3	10.1	38.4	11.6	1.3	12.9	51.3	
1964-65	r32.8	16.5	r49.3	15.1	3.1	18.2	r67.5	
1965-66	r26.6	r10.9	r37.5	14.5	4.1	18.6	56.1	
Quarter ended—								
June 1965	r14.5	5.5	r20.0	4.1	1.1	5.2	r25.2	
September 1965	r7.6	2.0	r9.6	2.8	0.5	3.3	r12.9	
December 1965	10.5	4.3	14.8	3.5	1.0	4.5	19.3	
March 1966	4.4	2.9	7.3	3.1	1.4	4.5	11.8	
June 1966	4.1	r1.7	r5.8	5.1	1.2	6.3	12.1	
September 1966	2.5	2.5	5.0					
TOTAL ALL INDUSTRIES								
Year—				(d)		(d)	(d)	
1961-62	152.4	199.2	351.6	54.8	13.8	68.6	420.2	
1962-63	104.7	229.9	334.6	45.7	13.3	59.0	393.6	
1963-64	126.4	162.2	288.6	48.4	22.6	71.0	359.6	
1964-65	r147.1	169.2	r316.3	51.7	25.2	76.9	r393.2	
1965-66	r171.4	r147.3	r318.7	50.8	23.1	73.9	392.6	
Quarter ended—								
June 1965	r35.7	33.6	r69.3	15.1	3.5	18.6	r87.9	
September 1965	r32.0	r54.6	r86.6	11.0	3.4	14.4	r101.0	
December 1965	r65.3	r36.6	r101.9	14.3	7.1	21.4	r123.3	
March 1966	r28.3	29.6	r57.9	9.5	4.3	13.8	r71.7	
June 1966	r45.8	r26.5	r72.3	16.0	8.3	24.3	96.6	
September 1966	19.9	96.4	116.3					

(a) Includes preference shares. (b) Excludes deposits accepted by banks, insurance companies, pastoral companies and building societies, and loans to authorised dealers in the short-term money market. (c) Includes only loans which are secured by charges over the companies' entire assets. (d) Small share issues of less than \$2,000 each, for which returns have not been collected, have not been included in the industrial classification above, but are included in the total below.

OVERSEAS INVESTMENT

NOTE. The following tables, showing private overseas investment in Australia and Australian investment in companies overseas, exclude particulars of advances to non-residents by trading banks in Australia and of deposits with those banks by non-residents. Such advances amounted to \$A1m at 30 June in 1961, 1962, 1963, 1964 and 1965. Deposits by non-residents amounted to \$A26m at 30 June 1961, \$A30m at 30 June 1962, \$A32m at 30 June 1963, \$A35m at 30 June 1964 and \$A44m at 30 June 1965.

Annual inflow of private overseas investment in companies in Australia, by type of company in which capital invested (a)

(\$A million)

Year	Direct investment					Portfolio investment (b)	Total annual inflow
	Australian branches		Australian subsidiaries		Total		
	Unremitted profits	Other investment	Undistributed profits	Other investment			
1960-61.. ..	6	49	108	209	372	98	470
1961-62.. ..	9	45	57	110	221	77	298
1962-63.. ..	16	5	90	249	360	84	444
1963-64.. ..	23	28	110	240	401	29	430
1964-65.. ..	12	51	110	316	489	39	528

(a) Increases in investment by some overseas investors are offset against withdrawals of investment by other overseas investors. (b) Partly estimated.

**Annual inflow of private overseas investment in companies in Australia,
by domicile of investor and category of investment(a)
(\$A million)**

Year	United Kingdom	New Zealand	U.S.A. and Canada	Other	Total
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UNDISTRIBUTED INCOME(b)

1960-61	39	3	61	11	114
1961-62	43	3	16	4	66
1962-63	71	1	27	7	106
1963-64	80	3	45	5	133
1964-65	69	3	42	8	122

OTHER INVESTMENT

1960-61	185	3	115	53	356
1961-62	82	7	127	16	232
1962-63	136	4	157	41	338
1963-64	102	6	148	41	297
1964-65	174	10	184	38	406

TOTAL ANNUAL INFLOW

1960-61	224	6	176	64	470
1961-62	125	10	143	20	298
1962-63	207	5	184	48	444
1963-64	182	9	193	46	430
1964-65	243	13	226	46	528

(a) Increases in investment by some overseas investors are offset against withdrawals of investment by other overseas investors. (b) Unremitted profits of Australian branches plus undistributed profits of Australian subsidiaries.

**Annual outflow of Australian investment in companies overseas, by type of company
in which capital invested(a)
(\$A million)**

Year	Direct investment					Portfolio investment	Total annual outflow
	Overseas branches		Overseas subsidiaries		Total		
	Unremitted profits	Other	Undis-tributed profits	Other			
1960-61	2	7	5	5	19	-9	10
1961-62	1	8	8	3	20	-4	16
1962-63 .. ..	..	-4	9	9	14	-6	8
1963-64	1	3	13	-7	10	-8	2
1964-65	-2	4	20	9	31	-6	25

(a) Increases in investment by some Australian investors are offset against withdrawals of investment by other Australian investors.

NOTE. Minus (-) denotes inflow.

Annual outflow of Australian investment in companies overseas, by country
in which capital invested and category of investment(a)

(\$A million)

Year	United Kingdom	New Zealand	U.S.A. and Canada	Other	Total
UNDISTRIBUTED INCOME					
1960-61	2	3	..	2	7
1961-62	1	3	..	5	9
1962-63 .. ..	..	3	..	6	9
1963-64	-1	9	1	5	14
1964-65	-1	9	..	10	18
OTHER INVESTMENT					
1960-61	-3	4	1	1	3
1961-62	-1	4	-1	5	7
1962-63	1	8	..	-10	-1
1963-64	-16	7	..	-3	-12
1964-65	-7	4	..	10	7
TOTAL ANNUAL OUTFLOW					
1960-61	-1	7	1	3	10
1961-62 .. ..	..	7	-1	10	16
1962-63	1	11	..	-4	8
1963-64	-17	16	1	2	2
1964-65	-8	13	..	20	25

(a) Increases in investment by some Australian investors are offset against withdrawals of investment by other Australian investors.

NOTE. Minus (-) denotes inflow.

Net annual flow of investment between Australia and overseas countries,
by category of flow

(\$A million)

Year	Annual inflow of investment	Annual outflow of investment	Net annual flow to Australia
1960-61	489	11	478
1961-62	308	15	293
1962-63	528	8	520
1963-64	449	7	442
1964-65	503	15	488

Net annual flow of investment between Australia and overseas countries, by regions

(\$A million)

Year	United Kingdom	New Zealand	U.S.A. and Canada	Other	I.B.R.D. (a)	Net annual flow to Australia
1960-61	217	-1	206	71	-15	478
1961-62	123	1	165	20	-16	293
1962-63	222	-8	244	50	12	520
1963-64	225	-7	175	42	7	442
1964-65	200	-2	260	31	-1	488

(a) No particulars are available of the domicile of securities issued to the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development.

NOTE. Minus (-) denotes outflow.

UNIT TRUSTS, LAND TRUSTS AND MUTUAL FUNDS

NOTE. The following statistics do not include details of superannuation funds conducted by unit trust management companies.

(\$ million)

Period	Cash transactions in respect of trust units and fund shares		Purchases and sales of investments(a)		Total market value of trusts and funds at end of period(f)
	Total amount received for trust units and fund shares issued(b)	Total amount paid for trust units and fund shares repurchased(c)	Purchases(d)	Sales(e)	
Year—					
1961-62	24.9	13.9	23.3	7.0	183.6
1962-63	31.7	14.0	27.4	9.7	207.7
1963-64	44.9	20.4	35.2	10.6	249.8
1964-65	36.0	22.6	31.3	18.8	222.2
1965-66	25.2	19.7	23.9	20.0	225.2
Quarter ended—					
September 1964	10.2	6.5	8.8	5.0	251.1
December 1964	10.5	6.9	9.3	6.4	252.7
March 1965	6.8	5.4	6.4	4.8	230.5
June 1965	8.5	4.0	6.8	2.7	222.2
September 1965	6.1	3.1	7.0	4.8	225.1
December 1965	6.8	5.1	5.1	4.3	229.3
March 1966	4.8	5.0	5.7	5.5	223.3
June 1966	7.6	6.4	6.1	5.3	225.2
September 1966	5.6	5.4	5.6	4.0	219.0
December 1966	5.5	5.4	5.5	4.8	226.5

(a) Commonwealth Government, Local Authority and Semi-governmental Securities, shares, debentures, unsecured notes, loans, deposits on term of notice of three months or longer, land and buildings, etc. (b) Includes re-issues and new issues. Includes fees and expenses. (c) Includes those units and fund shares intended for re-issue. (d) Payments for assets acquired during period. Includes brokerage and stamp duty. (e) Receipts for assets sold or redeemed during period. Excludes brokerage and stamp duty. (f) Includes value of land trusts at valuation.

SECTION XI. PUBLIC FINANCE

COMMONWEALTH PUBLIC ACCOUNT (CONSOLIDATED REVENUE, LOAN AND TRUST FUNDS): SUMMARY OF TRANSACTIONS

(\$ million)

	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	Six months ended December	
				1965	1966
Expenditure(a)	4,389.1	4,784.6	5,379.7	2,566.3	2,818.6
Receipts	3,993.3	4,627.9	5,128.6	1,852.2	1,900.5
Excess of expenditure over receipts (borrowing requirement)	395.8	156.8	251.1	714.1	918.1
Borrowings, etc.—					
Loan proceeds(b)—					
Australia(c)	578.4	501.7	546.2	247.8	342.2
Overseas(d)					
Public loans	49.1	21.9	22.3	21.8	..
Drawings on international bank loans ..	24.2	21.2	15.3	10.6	0.5
Total	651.8	544.8	583.7	280.1	342.7
Less redemptions, etc.—					
Australia(c)	153.4	270.3	254.5	152.0	148.9
Overseas(d)	47.3	80.1	77.4	26.8	66.4
Total	200.7	350.4	331.9	178.7	215.3
Net loan proceeds	451.1	194.4	251.8	101.4	127.4
Net movement in temporary borrowings and cash balances (increase, decrease (—))—					
Treasury notes	13.6	—72.1	35.7	138.1	146.4
Treasury bills(e)	—68.0	38.0	—36.0	434.0	592.0
Cash balances	—0.9	—3.6	—0.4	40.6	27.1
Credit arrangements for defence purchases in the U.S.A. .. .. .	..	..	..	..	25.1
Total borrowings, etc.	395.8	156.8	251.1	714.1	918.1

(a) Excludes payments to Loan Consolidation and Investment Reserve: 1962-63, \$52.8 million; 1963-64, \$29.8 million; 1964-65, \$222.7 million; and 1965-66, \$210.5 million. (b) Excludes State domestic raisings and loans raised on behalf of Qantas Empire Airways and Australian National Airlines Commission. (c) Redemptions of Special Bonds previously deducted from proceeds of Special Bonds are now included under redemptions. (d) Overseas 'refinancing' operations previously treated as conversions are now treated as adding to both loan proceeds and redemptions where they involved receipts into Loan Fund and expenditure from Loan Fund. (e) In 1964-65, \$100,000,000 Treasury Bills were funded, so that there was a net reduction of \$62,000,000 in the Treasury Bill issue during that year.

CURRENT ACCOUNT OF COMMONWEALTH AUTHORITIES^(a)
 (\$ million)

	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	Six months ended December	
				1965	1966
Indirect taxes	1,301	1,446	1,599	811	824
Income taxes—companies	601	722	815	47	40
Income taxes—persons—					
Net tax instalments	788	991	1,158	450	511
Other	483	578	571	78	68
Estate and gift duties	46	49	42	22	23
Interest, etc., received	33	36	36	20	24
Public enterprises income	180	213	219	112	120
Total Receipts	3,431	4,036	4,440	1,541	1,609
Net current expenditure on goods and services ..	789	941	1,170	601	643
Subsidies	101	86	127	42	52
Interest, etc., paid	39	39	29	40	41
Overseas grants and contributions	86	107	129	59	71
Cash benefits to persons	1,030	1,083	1,159	566	595
Grants towards private capital expenditure ..	9	26	47	23	23
Grants to State and local government authorities	753	779	877	437	484
Surplus on current account	622	976	903	-227	-301
Total Outlay	3,431	4,036	4,440	1,541	1,609

(a) This table represents a reclassification in a National Accounts form of the current transactions of all Commonwealth authorities. It includes transactions in respect of the Australian Capital Territory and Northern Territory and the various Commonwealth semi-governmental authorities. Taxation receipts have been adjusted by offsetting payments of income tax by Commonwealth semi-governmental authorities and remissions under special circumstances of income taxes and customs duties and, consequently, will not agree in total with figures shown on page 107.

COMMONWEALTH LOAN FUND—RECEIPTS

(\$ million)

	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66
Loans raised for the Commonwealth—				
Balance from 30 June	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2
Loans raised in Australia	219.0	199.3	124.8	233.7
Loans raised overseas	74.1	50.0	60.4	50.1
Total loans raised	293.1	249.3	185.2	283.7
Less expenses of flotation	2.8	Cr. 0.3	0.5	0.5
Total	290.5	249.7	184.9	283.3
Loans raised for the States—				
Balance from 30 June .. .. .	..	..	..	..
Loans raised in Australia	400.8	429.1	510.3	571.9
Loans raised overseas	71.5	28.8	17.7	17.9
Total	472.3	457.9	528.0	589.8

COMMONWEALTH LOAN FUND—EXPENDITURE

(\$ million)

	1962-63	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66
Loans raised for the Commonwealth—				
Assistance to States for housing	97.2	100.3	102.7	117.0
Defence services	132.1	77.4	..	89.5
War and repatriation services	1.2	8.5	7.2	6.4
Loan—Qantas	4.1	4.0	26.3	25.2
Loan—Australian National Airlines Commission	1.1	1.1	8.6	5.1
Mount Isa railway agreement	11.9	12.1	3.0	..
Snowy Mountains Hydro-electric Authority	26.2	23.4	19.6	16.0
Works and other purposes—repayments .. .. .	..	Cr. 0.6	0.1	..
Other .. .. .	..	..	..	0.3
Redemptions	16.5	23.3	17.4	23.8
Balance at 30 June	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1
Total	290.5	249.7	184.9	283.5
Loans raised for the States—				
Proceeds paid to States—				
New South Wales	130.8	140.2	149.5	152.2
Victoria	105.4	111.4	121.0	123.2
Queensland	42.6	42.4	48.0	63.7
South Australia	51.5	55.2	59.0	61.9
Western Australia	41.0	44.0	47.0	47.9
Tasmania	29.8	30.3	32.2	33.2
Total	401.0	423.7	456.7	482.1
Redemptions	71.1	34.2	71.3	107.7
Total	472.3	457.9	528.0	589.8

COMMONWEALTH INCOME TAX, INCOME YEAR 1963-64(a)

Resident individuals

Grade of actual income and State or Territory of assessment						Taxpayers	Actual income(b)	Taxable income(c)		Net tax assessed
								Salary and wages	Total	
\$	\$					No.	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
417-	599	..	..	..	..	138,394	71,238	56,315	68,193	1,231
600-	799	..	..	..	..	199,007	139,659	108,134	129,416	3,843
800-	999	..	..	..	..	227,856	205,126	156,501	186,730	7,619
1,000-	1,199	..	..	..	..	247,499	271,626	199,719	243,333	12,438
1,200-	1,399	..	..	..	..	275,192	358,027	265,393	317,853	19,435
1,400-	1,599	..	..	..	..	281,919	422,400	308,819	369,279	25,676
1,600-	1,799	..	..	..	..	276,321	469,734	328,961	397,589	30,431
1,800-	1,999	..	..	..	..	298,924	568,278	387,421	461,405	37,889
2,000-	2,199	..	..	..	..	325,933	684,265	457,915	536,645	47,038
2,200-	2,399	..	..	..	..	317,493	729,998	480,320	559,299	52,253
2,400-	2,599	..	..	..	..	290,118	724,748	470,663	551,302	54,852
2,600-	2,799	..	..	..	..	260,853	703,147	448,699	527,998	55,391
2,800-	2,999	..	..	..	..	215,722	624,777	390,873	467,903	51,851
3,000-	3,199	..	..	..	..	177,076	548,510	338,040	412,701	48,396
3,200-	3,399	..	..	..	..	143,404	472,645	286,564	357,682	44,210
3,400-	3,599	..	..	..	..	114,574	400,412	234,353	301,461	38,820
3,600-	3,799	..	..	..	..	94,264	348,376	199,337	263,250	35,443
3,800-	3,999	..	..	..	..	75,653	294,689	163,598	224,043	31,455
4,000-	4,999	..	..	..	..	221,245	978,983	496,074	753,893	117,232
5,000-	5,999	..	..	..	..	100,358	546,714	230,805	431,226	78,264
6,000-	7,999	..	..	..	..	88,638	605,413	199,006	490,781	104,323
8,000-	9,999	..	..	..	..	37,764	335,019	85,188	279,920	70,930
10,000-	11,999	..	..	..	..	19,366	210,989	41,423	179,729	53,215
12,000-	13,999	..	..	..	..	10,989	141,836	24,782	122,431	40,913
14,000-	15,999	..	..	..	..	6,432	95,952	15,001	83,685	30,446
16,000-	17,999	..	..	..	..	4,052	68,534	10,346	60,144	23,359
18,000-	19,999	..	..	..	..	2,555	48,367	6,902	42,904	17,520
20,000-	29,999	..	..	..	..	5,174	122,829	17,193	109,448	48,617
30,000-	39,999	..	..	..	..	1,263	43,035	6,034	38,567	18,961
40,000-	59,999	..	..	..	..	670	31,830	4,206	28,849	15,259
60,000-	99,999	..	..	..	..	220	16,235	1,915	14,063	7,869
100,000 and over		..	..	..	..	78	11,512	568	10,018	5,916
Total						4,459,006	11,294,903	6,421,067	9,021,737	1,231,097
Central Office						15,786	107,785	20,042	92,237	29,435
New South Wales						1,666,011	4,260,842	2,536,587	3,406,517	464,765
Victoria						1,296,870	3,274,385	1,907,122	2,650,196	360,567
Queensland						584,713	1,453,994	733,321	1,131,691	153,855
South Australia						418,862	1,021,326	565,615	820,209	103,839
Western Australia						297,146	724,919	385,058	569,814	73,460
Tasmania						133,785	316,004	184,505	245,221	29,372
Northern Territory						10,447	31,243	17,467	20,946	2,723
Australian Capital Territory						35,386	104,406	71,350	84,904	13,081
Total						4,459,006	11,294,903	6,421,067	9,021,737	1,231,097

(a) Assessment year 1964-65. (b) Actual income is defined briefly as 'Gross income including exempt income less expenses incurred in gaining that income'. (c) Taxable income is the income remaining after deducting from the assessable income all the allowable deductions.

COMMONWEALTH INCOME TAX, INCOME YEAR 1963-64(a)

Resident and Non-resident Companies

Grade of taxable income				Taxable			Non-taxable		
				Companies	Taxable income	Net tax assessed(b)	Companies	Taxable income(c)	Loss for year
PRIVATE									
\$	\$			No.	\$'000	\$'000	No.	\$'000	\$'000
Loss	..	..	..	..	..	..	19,770	..	73,884
Nil ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10,076	..	..
1- 1,999	..	..	..	14,458	11,417	2,892	2,386	1,945	..
2,000- 9,999	..	..	..	20,799	111,979	27,713	2,925	14,646	..
10,000- 19,999	..	..	..	8,154	112,445	30,194	772	10,684	..
20,000- 39,999	..	..	..	4,022	110,624	32,384	409	10,940	..
40,000- 99,999	..	..	..	1,937	115,493	35,084	153	9,163	..
100,000- 199,999	..	..	..	441	60,391	18,892	36	4,878	..
200,000- 399,999	..	..	..	126	33,355	10,645	6	1,369	..
400,000- 999,999	..	..	..	41	23,496	7,479	1	494	..
1,000,000-1,999,999	..	..	..	4	5,027	1,482	..	..	..
2,000,000 and over	..	..	..	2	5,072	1,900	..	..	..
Total ..	..	..	..	49,984	589,299	168,664	36,534	54,120	73,884

NON-PRIVATE

Loss	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,352	..	66,410
Nil ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,683	..	..
1- 1,999	..	..	..	1,980	1,111	400	119	72	..
2,000- 9,999	..	..	..	2,065	12,047	4,272	154	840	..
10,000- 19,999	..	..	..	1,614	22,524	8,296	106	1,550	..
20,000- 39,999	..	..	..	1,290	36,724	13,172	114	3,291	..
40,000- 99,999	..	..	..	1,344	86,361	30,272	147	9,090	..
100,000- 199,999	..	..	..	830	116,913	39,902	76	10,811	..
200,000- 399,999	..	..	..	572	162,429	54,474	43	12,508	..
400,000- 999,999	..	..	..	385	238,269	73,829	28	17,884	..
1,000,000-1,999,999	..	..	..	126	172,769	60,900	3	3,707	..
2,000,000 and over	..	..	..	132	768,192	246,714	4	15,039	..
Total ..	..	..	..	10,338	1,617,340	532,232	4,829	74,791	66,410

ALL COMPANIES

Private and non-private	..	..	..	60,322	2,206,638	700,896	41,363	128,911	140,295
Special section	..	..	..	1,572	21,989	8,669	2	..	1
Non-profit	..	..	..	706	5,948	2,163	831	60	326
Co-operative	..	..	..	2,252	10,764	4,211	352	19	874
Total ..	..	..	..	64,852	2,245,339	715,938	42,548	128,990	141,496

(a) Assessment year 1964-65. (b) Excludes additional tax levied on the undistributed income of private companies, \$1,609,000. (c) Net tax assessed is nil because of rebates, etc.

COMMONWEALTH GIFT DUTY, 1965-66

Grade of value of gift as assessed				Number of assessments(a)	Value as assessed	Net duty assessed
\$	\$				\$'000	\$'000
1-	1,999	..	..	692	807	29
2,000-	3,999	..	..	305	868	28
4,000-	5,999	..	..	1,041	5,084	149
6,000-	7,999	..	..	873	5,871	181
8,000-	9,999	..	..	642	5,596	172
10,000-	19,999	..	..	2,013	28,908	897
20,000-	39,999	..	..	1,489	35,379	1,373
40,000-	99,999	..	..	418	22,383	1,790
100,000 and over		..	..	41	6,736	1,291
Total				7,514	111,630	5,911

(a) Number of assessments issued during 1965-66.

COMMONWEALTH ESTATE DUTY, 1964-65

Grade of value of estate				Number of estates(a)	Gross value as assessed		Statutory exemption (b)	Dutiable value(c)	Net duty payable
					Realty	Total			
\$	\$				\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
2,000-	3,999	..	..	9	6	25	13	6	
4,000-	5,999	..	..	102	237	609	475	61	2
6,000-	7,999	..	..	261	839	1,944	1,276	428	13
8,000-	9,999	..	..	190	803	1,840	954	626	19
10,000-	19,999	..	..	3,278	20,770	50,748	27,632	16,833	496
20,000-	29,999	..	..	2,657	25,220	68,978	30,554	29,867	900
30,000-	39,999	..	..	1,695	20,293	61,012	15,907	37,165	1,412
40,000-	59,999	..	..	1,793	30,423	91,480	11,115	67,232	3,802
60,000-	79,999	..	..	874	19,425	62,747	3,504	48,971	3,712
80,000-	99,999	..	..	480	12,509	44,573	911	35,622	3,304
100,000-	199,999	..	..	801	27,887	110,834	266	84,901	10,855
200,000 and over		..	..	283	17,741	107,426	33	71,042	16,421
Total ..				12,423	176,153	602,216	92,641	392,754	40,935

(a) Assessments issued during year 1964-65. (b) Exemption allowable where whole of estate passes to widow or widower, children or grandchildren is \$20,000 diminishing by \$2 for every \$8 in excess of \$20,000. Where estate does not pass to widow, etc., exemption is \$10,000 with same diminishing rate. (c) Dutiable Value is Gross Value as Assessed less Debts and Charges, State Probate and Succession Duties, Exempt Estate and Statutory Exemption. Rates of duty range from 3.0 per cent on under \$20,000 to 27.9 per cent on \$1,000,000 and over.

COMMONWEALTH SALES TAX—SALES OF GOODS AND TAX PAYABLE

NOTE: An indication of fluctuations in the value of wholesale trade is given by the returns made under the Sales Tax Acts. With certain specified exemptions, all goods sold by wholesale in Australia, including imports, are taxable. The returns do not relate to all wholesale trade, as vendors trading only in exempt goods are not required to furnish returns. They do not necessarily cover a constant proportion of all trade. The effects of legislation and administrative changes on the recorded values of taxable and exempt goods respectively are somewhat uncertain, but total recorded sales are affected in smaller degrees. Insufficient information is available to enable adjustments to be made to the crude figures on this account.

(\$ million)

Period	Net sales of tax-able and exempt goods	Taxable sales								Sales tax payable
		2½ per cent	8½ per cent	12½ per cent	16½ per cent	22½ per cent	25 per cent	30 per cent	Total	
Year—										
1961-62 ..	6,931.5	381.6	43.4	1,031.9	128.5	148.1	192.2	174.0	2,099.7	297.1
1962-63 ..	7,556.9	426.0	..	1,236.8	..	438.5	201.4	..	2,302.7	314.3
1963-64 ..	8,509.3	473.9	..	1,203.1	..	503.7	212.1	..	2,392.8	328.6
1964-65 ..	9,407.8	513.6	..	1,313.9	..	87.9	673.5	..	2,588.9	365.2
1965-66 ..	9,756.6	521.8	..	1,415.2	..	..	707.8	..	2,644.8	366.9
Quarter—			..							
June 1965 ..	2,396.6	118.5	..	319.4	..	..	190.5	..	628.4	90.5
Sept. 1965 ..	2,528.8	132.8	..	373.5	..	..	199.0	..	705.3	99.7
Dec. 1965 ..	2,569.7	152.9	..	389.7	..	..	181.3	..	723.9	97.9
March 1966 ..	2,220.1	111.7	..	319.4	..	..	152.8	..	583.8	80.9
June 1966 ..	2,437.9	124.5	..	332.6	..	..	174.7	..	631.8	88.4
Sept. 1966 ..	2,623.8	149.1	..	381.4	..	..	179.9	..	710.3	96.4

STATE CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUNDS

(\$ million)

Item and year	N.S.W.(a)	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Total
REVENUE							
1964-65							
Taxation(b)	130.3	115.6	39.8	34.9	(c) 20.3	10.7	351.6
Railways	(d) 213.3	102.0	79.8	(d) 29.6	36.4	..	461.1
Tramways and omnibuses ..	24.7	..	..	..	..	..	24.7
Other business and industrial undertakings	17.0	25.4	..	27.7	6.3	0.3	76.7
Land	29.8	7.9	10.7	2.2	4.1	1.7	56.5
Interest, n.e.i.	7.3	19.1	13.7	18.1	11.7	12.8	82.7
Commonwealth grants(e) ..	236.9	176.1	106.7	84.7	(f) 88.6	(f) 44.4	737.4
Commonwealth National Welfare Fund payments..	10.8	3.5	1.6	2.2	0.1	0.8	19.2
All other sources	58.9	31.0	14.8	14.8	12.7	5.1	137.2
Total Revenue 1964-65	729.1	480.7	267.1	214.2	180.1	75.8	1,947.1
Total Revenue—							
1963-64	684.5	444.4	260.9	203.0	167.9	68.4	1,829.1
1962-63	625.3	414.2	247.0	187.4	157.2	63.3	1,694.3
1961-62	591.2	392.6	234.7	178.2	149.9	62.6	1,609.1
1960-61	564.7	370.2	217.6	164.0	138.7	55.6	1,510.8

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State Consolidated Revenue Funds—*continued*

(\$ million)

Item and year	N.S.W.(a)	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Total
EXPENDITURE 1964-65							
Debt charges	95.7	89.1	46.7	52.4	36.0	24.1	344.0
Railways	172.9	92.9	82.2	28.8	36.8	2.5	416.2
Tramways and omnibuses ..	26.0	..	..	..	1.0	0.8	27.8
Other business and industrial undertakings	13.9	11.6	..	14.3	11.2	0.7	51.8
Education	178.5	125.2	51.4	49.1	35.5	17.7	457.3
Hospitals	64.7	53.8	28.3	23.0	18.9	6.8	195.5
Other charities	14.7	5.4	7.5	3.6	5.2	2.4	38.7
All other expenditure ..	167.7	102.8	55.1	45.6	(g) 40.2	(g) 22.5	433.9
Total Expenditure 1964-65	734.2	480.7	271.2	216.8	184.8	77.4	1,965.1
Total Expenditure— 1963-64	684.0	444.9	260.5	199.8	170.9	69.6	1,829.2
1962-63	624.9	414.2	246.9	186.8	158.7	64.3	1,695.7
1961-62	597.5	392.6	234.4	177.2	151.8	63.3	1,616.8
1960-61	565.4	369.9	218.9	161.6	141.1	56.0	1,512.8

(a) In addition to Consolidated Revenue Fund, includes Business Undertakings—Railways, Tramways and omnibuses and Sydney Harbour Trust Section of the Maritime Services Board—included in the Annual Budget Papers. To avoid duplication within the combined accounts, the following deductions have been made from expenditure—

(i) \$1,682,000 on account of debt charges not recouped to Consolidated Revenue Fund from Business Undertakings and (ii) \$2,410,000 for contributions from Consolidated Revenue Fund towards losses on Tramways and Omnibus Services. (b) For total receipts from various forms of taxation, Commonwealth and State 1964-65, see p. 107.

(c) Gross collections. (d) To avoid duplication the following Treasury transfers to Railway revenue have been excluded: New South Wales, \$1,600,000; South Australia, \$8,000,000. (e) Includes financial assistance grants.

(f) Includes balance of Special Grant for 1962-63: Western Australia, \$1,320,000; Tasmania, \$982,000. (g) Includes reduction of previous years' deficits: Western Australia, \$1,320,000; Tasmania, \$982,000.

STATE NET LOAN EXPENDITURE, 1964-65

(\$ million)

Heads of expenditure	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Total
Works and services—							
Railways	18.1	15.4	11.9	5.9	6.6	0.6	58.6
Tramways and omnibuses	-0.4	..	..	..	0.2	..	-0.3
Roads and bridges ..	4.0	2.3	-1.3	-0.5	0.9	3.5	24.5
Harbours, rivers, lights, etc.	6.1	4.4	0.5	1.9	2.8	..	..
Water supply and sewerage	16.0	18.7	0.3	25.9	9.7	1.8	72.4
Electricity supply ..	15.2	16.0	4.5	5.8	0.8	14.6	56.9
Gas supply .. ..	..	0.1	..	..	..	..	0.1
Public buildings ..	67.5	53.1	19.5	21.2	20.3	8.5	190.0
Unemployment relief ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Housing	1.6	1.3	3.0	-1.5	1.5	-0.3	5.6
Other(a)	1.3	2.8	12.6	0.1	1.1	1.6	19.5
Primary production—							
Land settlement(b) ..	-0.3	-1.4	..	0.6	..	0.7	-0.4
Water conservation, irrigation and drainage ..	15.1	..	5.6	1.8	1.3	..	23.8
Other	4.3	5.5	8.8	-0.3	1.0	2.0	21.4
Other purposes .. ..	..	2.0	..	1.6	0.5	0.4	4.6
Total Works, etc. ..	148.3	120.3	65.4	62.6	46.8	33.3	476.6
Per Head	\$ 35.85	\$ 38.45	\$ 40.39	\$ 59.21	\$ 58.27	\$ 90.41	\$ 42.89
Non-works	-3.6	0.6	1.5	..	0.2	..	-1.2
Grand Total	144.8	120.9	66.9	62.6	47.0	33.1	475.4

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TOTAL STATE NET LOAN EXPENDITURE TO 30 JUNE 1965
(\$ million)

Heads of expenditure	N.S.W.	Vic.(c)	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Total
Works and services—							
Railways	692.5	405.9	308.4	150.1	164.6	32.1	1,753.6
Tramways and omnibuses ..	48.0	..	..	17.3	4.1	2.9	72.2
Roads and bridges ..	62.7	59.9	11.0	11.8	9.8	} 51.2	465.3
Harbours, rivers, lights, etc.	135.0	17.5	11.1	48.3	47.1		
Water supply and sewerage ..	219.1	337.8	8.9	264.6	128.6	14.4	973.4
Electricity supply ..	358.9	197.9	11.3	126.9	43.6	237.5	976.0
Gas supply .. ..	..	25.0	..	..	..	..	25.0
Public buildings	586.4	515.0	176.4	171.0	133.7	84.8	1,667.3
Unemployment relief	31.7	26.3	..	..	..	0.6	58.6
Housing	16.4	31.2	47.6	91.8	37.3	28.2	252.6
Other(a)	38.1	29.4	213.1	8.6	19.3	18.7	327.2
Primary production—							
Land settlement(b)	83.1	230.1	18.5	21.3	26.5	7.9	387.4
Water conservation, irrigation and drainage ..	218.6	..	61.9	43.1	30.0	..	353.7
Other	52.4	69.6	98.4	38.8	46.9	13.8	319.9
Other purposes	0.4	39.5	0.6	19.2	46.5	10.2	116.4
Total Works, etc.	2,543.2	1,985.1	967.3	1,012.7	738.0	502.2	7,748.5
Non-works	112.6	92.3	42.1	17.2	45.7	16.7	326.6
Grand Total	2,655.8	2,077.4	1,009.3	1,029.9	783.8	518.9	8,075.1

(a) Includes loans to Local Bodies, etc. (b) Includes Advances to Settlers and Soldier Land Settlement.
(c) Gross Expenditure from Loan Fund and on account of loans; includes expenditure from Loan Funds, from Treasurer's Advance Account and from State Loans Repayment Fund.

**GOVERNMENT SECURITIES ON ISSUE ON ACCOUNT OF THE STATES,
AND INTEREST LIABILITY, 30 JUNE 1966**

State	Currency in which repayable						Australian currency equivalent(a)	
	Australian dollars	Sterling	United States dollars	Canadian dollars	Swiss francs	Netherlands guilders	Total amount on issue	Total interest liability
	\$A m	£Stg m	\$US m	\$Can m	Sw Fr m	f m	\$A m	\$A m
New South Wales	2,180.7	102.3	96.3	4.6	15.8	10.4	2,531.9	119.7
Victoria ..	1,626.9	42.2	46.4	3.7	12.7	8.3	1,781.5	85.0
Queensland ..	836.1	40.7	39.5	1.9	6.4	4.3	977.0	44.5
South Australia ..	866.2	31.2	24.9	1.9	6.8	4.2	970.5	45.4
Western Australia	632.8	32.4	15.6	1.4	4.9	3.3	730.7	33.6
Tasmania ..	471.0	6.9	14.0	1.1	3.7	2.4	502.9	24.0
Total ..	6,613.7	255.7	236.6	14.7	50.3	32.9	7,494.6	352.1

(a) Converted at rates of exchange ruling at 30 June 1966.

(TABLES ON THIS PAGE ARE PREPARED FROM INFORMATION PUBLISHED IN THE MONTHLY STATEMENTS
ISSUED BY EACH TREASURY)

CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUNDS

(\$ million)

	N.S.W. (a)	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Six States	Cwth	Grand total(b)
SIX MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 1965									
Revenue—									
Commonwealth grants ..	130.3	98.3	62.0	44.0	53.0	24.4	412.1	..	..
Taxation	66.3	51.5	21.5	14.2	11.0	5.1	169.6	1,389.4	..
Business undertakings—									
Railways.. ..	106.1	49.2	46.9	15.6	18.1	..	236.0	9.6	..
Other	20.4	5.3	..	18.1	2.8	..	46.7	215.4	..
Other	45.2	20.8	18.1	20.1	14.1	8.9	127.2	129.5	..
Total	368.3	225.2	148.5	112.0	98.9	38.5	991.5	1,743.8	2,297.8
Expenditure—									
Grants to States(c) ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	530.8	..
Debt charges	49.6	46.1	24.4	25.0	18.4	12.9	176.3	92.7	..
Business undertakings(d)—									
Railways.. ..	90.2	52.3	46.2	15.3	19.0	..	223.0	9.5	..
Other	19.5	7.6	..	7.3	3.9	1.2	39.5	244.0	..
Other	201.2	137.5	80.5	65.1	61.6	28.2	574.2	1,410.1	..
Total	360.5	243.6	151.1	112.8	102.9	42.3	1,013.1	2,287.1	2,862.8
Surplus (+) or deficit (—)	7.8	—18.4	—2.6	—0.8	—4.0	—3.8	—21.6	—543.3	—564.8
SIX MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 1966									
Revenue—									
Commonwealth grants ..	157.5	105.5	69.2	47.2	55.1	28.3	462.8	..	..
Taxation	75.1	56.0	23.2	15.4	11.8	5.5	187.0	1,446.3	..
Business undertakings—									
Railways.. ..	101.9	47.5	44.4	14.7	22.7	..	231.3	10.1	..
Other	20.8	4.2	..	18.8	3.1	..	46.9	227.5	..
Other	44.7	23.7	21.1	20.7	16.2	9.9	136.3	148.5	..
Total	399.9	237.0	157.9	116.9	108.9	43.7	1,064.2	1,832.4	2,431.6
Expenditure—									
Grants to States(c) ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	598.0	..
Debt charges	52.0	48.7	26.2	26.6	19.7	13.8	187.1	74.2	..
Business undertakings(d)—									
Railways.. ..	90.5	53.4	45.2	16.2	21.5	..	226.7	11.3	..
Other	20.0	8.1	..	7.6	4.6	(e)1.1	41.3	281.9	..
Other	223.8	151.9	87.9	70.6	66.8	30.7	631.6	1,548.3	..
Total	386.3	262.1	159.2	121.0	112.5	45.6	1,086.7	2,513.7	3,135.4
Surplus (+) or deficit (—)	13.6	—25.1	—1.4	—4.1	—3.6	—1.9	—22.5	—681.3	—703.8

(a) Represents the combined transactions of the Consolidated Revenue Fund and the Business Undertakings—Railways, Tramways and Omnibuses and Sydney Harbour Trust Section of the Maritime Services Board—included in the Annual Budget Papers. Adjustments have been made to exclude duplications. (b) To avoid duplication in aggregating particulars for the Commonwealth and States, the grand totals have been adjusted to exclude State payments to the Commonwealth in respect of pay-roll tax and Commonwealth payments to the States included in State Consolidated Revenue Funds in respect of interest on State debts, special grants, financial assistance grants, special financial assistance, grants to universities, tuberculosis capital expenditure and National Welfare Fund payments. There are other relatively minor payments for which adjustments have not been made and the adjusted figures are therefore still slightly overstated. (c) Includes repayable advances and payments to State trust funds. (d) Excludes interest, etc., charges. (e) Includes loss by Transport Commission and working expenses of Metropolitan Transport Trust.

NET LOAN EXPENDITURE ON WORKS

(\$ million)

Six months ended December—	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Total six States	Cwlth	Grand total
1965	83.1	55.9	30.9	34.1	17.4	14.8	236.3	57.9	294.2
1966	78.9	62.2	32.4	33.5	20.1	18.7	245.5	39.0	284.5

TAXATION—COMMONWEALTH AND STATE, 1964-65(a)

(\$ million)

State, etc.	Income taxes	Customs and excise duties	Land tax	Probate, succession and estate duties	Other stamp duties (n.e.i.)	Motor taxes	Racing taxes	All other taxes	Total taxes
New South Wales ..	..	..	29.7	38.3	40.0	60.3	7.3	25.4	201.0
Victoria ..	..	..	19.7	31.6	34.4	40.0	10.4	15.4	151.6
Queensland ..	..	..	3.8	9.9	12.5	24.9	3.3	10.5	64.9
South Australia ..	..	..	5.0	6.6	8.6	12.8	2.6	1.6	37.3
Western Australia ..	..	..	2.9	3.0	7.7	9.8	2.7	3.5	29.6
Tasmania ..	..	..	1.7	2.0	2.6	3.9	1.0	0.7	11.9
Total States ..	..	..	62.8	91.4	105.9	151.8	27.3	57.1	496.3
Commonwealth	2,295.6	899.7	..	41.5	..	..	..	(b)550.2	3,787.0
Grand Total	2,295.6	899.7	62.8	133.0	105.9	151.8	27.3	607.2	4,283.4

PER HEAD OF POPULATION

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New South Wales	7.18	9.26	9.67	14.57	1.76	6.14	48.58
Victoria	6.28	10.08	10.97	12.76	3.32	4.91	48.36
Queensland ..	..	..	2.35	6.13	7.74	15.42	2.04	6.50	40.18
South Australia ..	..	..	4.77	6.29	8.20	12.21	2.48	1.53	35.57
Western Australia ..	..	..	3.60	3.73	9.56	12.17	3.35	4.35	36.76
Tasmania ..	..	..	4.64	5.46	7.10	10.65	2.73	1.91	32.50
Total States ..	..	..	5.65	8.23	9.53	13.67	2.46	5.14	44.68
Commonwealth	204.49	80.15	..	3.70	..	..	..	49.01	337.35
Grand Total	204.49	80.15	5.59	11.85	9.43	13.52	2.43	54.09	381.57

(a) Includes taxes paid to special funds. The collections have been grouped according to the nature of the tax rather than the method of collection. For details of Commonwealth Taxation see table below. (b) Includes Sales Tax, \$362,857,000; \$32.32 per head of population; and Pay-roll Tax, \$150,078,000; \$13.37 per head of population.

TAXATION—COMMONWEALTH AND STATE
(\$ million)

Year	Taxation by Commonwealth Government							Taxation by State governments	Total taxation
	Income taxes	Customs	Excise	Sales tax	Pay-roll tax	Other	Total		
1961-62 ..	1,656.3	170.3	531.3	297.6	121.9	55.5	2,833.0	355.0	3,188.0
1962-63 ..	1,621.2	210.2	548.8	313.1	126.5	61.2	2,880.9	393.1	3,274.0
1963-64 ..	1,874.5	232.6	582.5	325.0	136.4	67.7	3,218.8	450.7	3,669.5
1964-65 ..	2,295.6	268.5	631.2	362.9	150.1	78.8	3,787.0	496.3	4,283.4
1965-66 ..	2,549.7	271.0	752.0	370.0	161.9	80.7	4,185.3	(a)	(a)

PER HEAD OF POPULATION
(\$)

1961-62 ..	156.21	16.06	50.11	28.07	11.50	5.23	267.19	33.77	300.67
1962-63 ..	150.10	19.46	50.81	28.99	11.71	5.67	266.73	36.73	303.12
1963-64 ..	170.25	21.13	52.91	29.52	12.39	6.15	292.35	41.34	333.28
1964-65 ..	204.49	23.92	56.23	32.33	13.37	7.02	337.35	44.68	381.57
1965-66 ..	222.79	23.68	65.71	32.33	14.15	7.05	365.71	(a)	(a)

(a) Not yet available.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES ON ISSUE: COMMONWEALTH AND STATES

NOTE. In the following tables, details of securities on issue and annual interest liability in respect of overseas loans are shown in the currencies in which they are repayable or payable respectively. The total of all such loans including loans repayable in Australia and the total annual interest liability thereon are shown in Australian currency equivalents at the rates of exchange ruling.

Currency in which repayable or payable		30 June—				31 December 1966
		1963	1964	1965	1966	
TOTAL GOVERNMENT SECURITIES ON ISSUE						
Commonwealth	Australian dollars .. \$A m	2,518.7	2,568.7	2,512.9	2,520.8	3,210.6
	Sterling £Stg m	77.3	79.4	76.3	73.4	69.9
	United States dollars .. \$US m	362.0	351.3	368.6	380.1	371.6
	Canadian dollars .. \$Can m	50.9	50.4	49.7	49.2	48.9
	Swiss francs .. Sw. Fr. m	196.6	194.3	194.3	194.1	189.7
	Netherlands guilders .. f. m	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.1
	German deutsche marks D.M. m	6.4	37.9	84.6	84.6	84.6
	Total(a) .. \$A m	3,120.7	3,172.4	3,134.0	3,144.5	3,816.9
States ..	Australian dollars .. \$A m	5,393.3	5,749.6	6,182.3	6,613.7	6,853.3
	Sterling £Stg m	273.8	284.8	268.7	255.7	234.3
	United States dollars .. \$US m	227.9	221.0	229.9	236.6	211.8
	Canadian dollars .. \$Can m	16.7	16.1	15.6	14.7	14.2
	Swiss francs .. Sw. Fr. m	50.3	50.3	50.3	50.3	50.3
	Netherlands guilders .. f. m	32.9	32.9	32.9	32.9	32.9
	German deutsche marks D.M. m	..	..	..	..	..
	Total(a) .. \$A m	6,313.6	6,690.6	7,090.5	7,494.6	7,658.2
Grand Total ..	Australian dollars .. \$A m	7,912.1	8,318.4	8,695.2	9,134.5	10,063.9
	Sterling £Stg m	351.2	364.2	344.9	329.1	304.2
	United States dollars .. \$US m	590.0	572.3	598.5	616.7	583.4
	Canadian dollars .. \$Can m	67.6	66.4	65.3	63.9	63.1
	Swiss francs .. Sw. Fr. m	246.9	244.6	244.6	244.4	240.0
	Netherlands guilders .. f. m	40.0	40.0	40.0	40.0	40.0
	German deutsche marks D.M. m	6.4	37.9	84.6	84.6	84.6
	Total(a) .. \$A m	9,434.3	9,863.0	10,224.5	10,639.1	11,475.1

(a) See Note above.

Government Securities on Issue: Commonwealth and States—continued

	Currency in which repayable or payable	30 June—				31 December 1966
		1963	1964	1965	1966	

ANNUAL INTEREST PAYABLE

Grand Total..	Australian dollars .. \$A m	322.7	344.5	372.7	405.1	} n.a.
	Sterling .. £Stg m	14.4	15.2	14.6	14.1	
	United States dollars .. \$US m	28.9	28.2	29.9	30.8	
	Canadian dollars .. \$Can m	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.1	
	Swiss francs .. Sw. Fr. m	10.3	10.2	10.2	10.2	
	Netherlands guilders .. f. m	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	
	German deutsche marks D.M. m	0.3	2.1	4.8	4.8	
	Commonwealth(a) .. \$A m	112.9	118.3	119.7	122.1	
	States(a) .. \$A m	277.1	295.3	322.5	352.1	
	Total(a) .. \$A m	390.0	413.6	442.2	474.2	

AVERAGE RATES OF INTEREST PAYABLE

(Per cent)

Grand Total..	Australian dollars	4.08	4.14	4.29	4.43	} n.a.
	Sterling	4.11	4.19	4.24	4.30	
	United States dollars	4.91	4.93	4.99	5.00	
	Canadian dollars	4.90	4.89	4.89	4.88	
	Swiss francs	4.19	4.19	4.19	4.19	
	Netherlands guilders	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	
	German deutsche marks	4.75	5.58	5.68	5.68	
	Total(a)	4.13	4.19	4.33	4.46	

(a) See Note previous page.

SECTION XII. SOCIAL STATISTICS

COMMONWEALTH EXPENDITURE FROM NATIONAL WELFARE FUND(a)

(\$'000)

Service	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	Six months ended December—	
				1965	1966
Social Services					
Age and invalid pensions	399,880	426,597	442,355	219,747	234,290
Child endowment	168,758	172,830	176,432	85,560	86,859
Commonwealth Rehabilitation Service ..	1,489	1,604	1,660	819	1,006
Funeral benefits	812	866	1,050	490	717
Maternity allowances	7,457	7,294	7,159	3,610	3,600
Unemployment, sickness and special benefits	21,625	14,540	15,557	7,011	8,844
Widows' pension	41,569	47,044	50,017	24,758	27,325
Health Services—					
Hospital benefits	56,216	58,791	60,743	30,302	31,977
Medical benefits	24,848	35,277	41,282	21,213	21,751
Medical benefits for pensioners	9,531	9,320	13,365	6,844	7,434
Milk for school children	7,775	8,059	8,493	3,855	4,360
Pharmaceutical benefits	58,237	60,638	67,713	35,470	36,344
Pharmaceutical benefits for pensioners ..	20,602	21,564	24,071	11,884	14,878
Tuberculosis campaign	12,066	11,604	14,665	1,907	4,381
Miscellaneous	1,785	2,859	3,453	1,455	1,732
Rental losses(b)	45	130	213	213	..
Home saving grants(c) .. ..	..	11,349	13,346	7,118	5,926
Total	832,696	890,366	941,574	462,256	491,424

(a) The National Welfare Fund does not cover administration and capital expenditure on social and health services, or cash payments made to individuals for education, repatriation and certain other miscellaneous social services.
 (b) Contributions to States, under Commonwealth and State Housing Agreement 1945, for losses of rental housing.
 (c) Under the *Homes Savings Grant Act* 1964, there was no comparable expenditure in 1963-64 and previous years.

COMMONWEALTH AGE AND INVALID PENSIONS

State and year	Number of pensioners at 30 June			Average weekly pension at 30 June		Amount paid during year ended 30 June (b)
	Age	Invalid	Total	Age(a)	Invalid(a)	
1966—						
New South Wales	247,317	42,425	289,742	11.40	12.28	\$'000 174,201
Victoria	163,156	25,187	188,343	11.28	12.18	111,019
Queensland	101,608	17,818	119,426	11.37	12.26	70,859
South Australia	59,478	8,521	67,999	11.16	12.22	39,691
Western Australia	43,876	8,575	52,451	11.26	12.18	30,761
Tasmania	19,181	3,444	22,625	11.27	12.45	13,439
Northern Territory	1,326	408	1,734	11.72	12.05	1,102
Australian Capital Territory ..	1,042	267	1,309	11.11	12.40	794
Abroad	(c)	(c)	(c)	..	..	489
Total	636,984	106,645	743,629	11.33	12.24	442,355
Total—						
1965	628,100	107,473	735,573	11.18	11.73	426,597
1964	615,186	109,725	724,911	10.71	11.26	399,880
1963	607,350	104,038	711,388	10.16	10.52	375,507
1962	594,012	97,246	691,258	10.20	10.52	360,489

(a) Includes supplementary assistance and allowances. (b) Includes: Supplementary assistance; amounts paid to benevolent homes for maintenance of pensioners and to pensioner inmates of these homes; allowances to wives of age and invalid pensioners; and allowances and additional pension for children of age and invalid pensioners.
 (c) Included in figures for State in which pensioner is ordinarily domiciled.

NOTE. Age pensions are payable to women 60 years of age and over and to men 65 years of age and over, invalid pensions are payable to persons who are permanently incapacitated for work or who are permanently blind. Since 13 October 1966 the maximum rate is \$13 a week for single pensioners and a married pensioner whose spouse is not receiving a pension, tuberculosis allowance, unemployment, or sickness benefit. The rate for married couple pensioners is \$11.75 each. An allowance is also payable for the non-pensioner wife and children of an age or invalid pensioner, and a guardian's allowance is payable to a single pensioner with dependent children. Age and invalid pensions (except those paid to blind persons) are subject to a means test on income and property. Supplementary assistance of \$2 a week is available to pensioners who pay rent or pay for board and lodging or for lodging.

COMMONWEALTH CHILD ENDOWMENT

State and year ended 30 June	Children under 16 years				Student children(a)				Total endowed children and students	Amount paid during year ended 30 June (b)
	Endowed families		Approved institutions		Endowed families		Approved institutions			
	No. of claims	No. of children	No. of institutions	No. of children	No. of claims	No. of children	No. of institutions	No. of children		
1966—										\$'000
N.S.W. . .	587,291	1,270,262	134	5,365	42,210	45,534	12	33	1,321,194	61,050
Vic. . .	443,753	982,651	122	5,027	47,737	51,286	21	80	1,039,044	49,235
Qld . .	227,230	534,734	55	3,293	15,263	16,480	14	34	554,541	26,626
S.A. . .	157,204	350,927	55	1,677	14,260	15,276	13	94	367,974	16,988
W.A. . .	120,973	282,827	64	3,707	8,092	8,679	20	90	295,303	13,624
Tas. . .	53,813	126,870	20	401	3,633	3,929	3	4	131,204	6,318
N.T. . .	6,835	15,612	38	5,817	265	299	5	14	21,742	1,057
A.C.T. . .	13,177	29,582	..	..	1,421	1,570	..	..	31,152	1,478
Abroad . .	214	468	..	..	19	24	..	..	492	56
Total . .	1,610,490	3,593,933	488	25,287	132,900	143,077	88	349	3,762,646	176,432
Total—										
1965 . .	1,582,801	3,546,040	490	26,255	128,641	138,006	104	315	3,710,616	172,830
1964 . .	1,555,630	3,484,008	502	26,107	113,062	120,697	53	235	3,631,047	(c) 168,758
1963 . .	1,535,388	3,432,166	497	25,454	..	..	..	..	3,457,620	135,421
1962 . .	1,523,074	3,395,449	479	24,685	..	..	..	..	3,420,134	132,755

(a) The Commonwealth commenced to pay endowment for student children, aged 16 to 21 years, from 14 January 1964. (b) Includes expenditure for endowed student children as follows: 1963–64, \$3,860,000; 1964–65, \$8,960,000; 1965–66, \$11,388,000. (c) Expenditure for this year includes five 12-weekly payments instead of the usual four 12-weekly payments for endowments paid to the credit of bank accounts.

NOTE. From January 1964 the weekly rates are: \$0.50 for the first child in a family, \$1.00 for the second child, \$1.50 for the third and subsequent children under 16 years in families, \$1.50 for each child under 16 years in an institution, and \$1.50 for full-time student children between 16 and 21 years.

COMMONWEALTH WIDOWS' PENSIONS

State and year	Pensions current at 30 June			Average weekly pension at 30 June(c)	Amount paid during year ended 30 June(c)
	Class 'A' pensioners(a)	Other widows (b)	All widows		
1966—				\$	\$'000
New South Wales ..	11,759	14,366	26,125	14.75	18,754
Victoria ..	7,961	9,290	17,251	14.35	12,692
Queensland ..	5,300	5,505	10,805	14.57	7,987
South Australia ..	3,042	3,525	6,567	14.36	4,802
Western Australia ..	2,288	2,783	5,071	13.97	3,602
Tasmania ..	1,211	1,116	2,327	14.89	1,791
Northern Territory ..	99	103	202	15.09	159
Australian Capital Territory ..	136	122	258	15.44	165
Abroad ..	(d)	(d)	(d)	..	65
Total ..	31,796	36,810	68,606	14.53	50,017
Total—					
1965 ..	29,713	35,685	65,398	14.09	47,044
1964 ..	27,371	34,753	62,124	13.57	41,569
1963 ..	25,261	33,216	58,477	10.45	31,353
1962 ..	24,584	32,252	56,836	10.44	30,189

(a) A widow who has at least one child under 16. (b) A widow who is not less than 50 years of age and is without children under 16, a widow without children who is in need for not more than 26 weeks after the death of her husband, or until the birth of her child if she is pregnant. (c) Includes supplementary assistance and, from 8 October 1963, a mother's allowance of \$4.00 a week for class 'A' widows. (d) Included in the figures for the State in which the pensioner is ordinarily domiciled.

NOTE. Widows' pensions are subject to a means test on income and property. Since 4 October 1966 the rates are: Class 'A', \$17.00 a week and \$1.50 a week for each child under 16 years and each full-time student child up to 21 years of age. Other widows receive \$11.75 a week. A supplementary assistance of \$2.00 per week is available to pensioners who pay rent or pay for board and lodging or for lodging.

COMMONWEALTH MATERNITY ALLOWANCES

Year	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Abroad	Total
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NUMBER OF CLAIMS PAID

1961-62	87,659	65,847	36,339	21,328	17,366	8,942	1,398	1,662	300	240,841
1962-63	82,700	66,021	35,659	21,357	17,152	8,560	1,516	1,789	310	235,064
1963-64	83,580	64,438	34,966	21,096	16,988	8,437	1,663	2,013	270	233,451
1964-65	80,592	64,424	33,963	20,820	16,667	7,821	1,661	2,015	176	228,139
1965-66	77,739	63,934	33,488	20,594	16,764	7,578	1,731	2,178	305	224,311

AMOUNT PAID
(\$'000)

1961-62	2,884	2,114	1,178	690	559	289	45	48	10	7,817
1962-63	2,665	2,117	1,153	685	552	277	49	56	10	7,563
1963-64	2,649	2,065	1,128	675	546	272	54	60	9	7,457
1964-65	2,569	2,058	1,093	666	534	251	53	64	6	7,294
1965-66	2,475	2,041	1,075	656	536	243	55	70	8	7,159

NOTE. Allowances payable are as follows: (i) no other children under 16 years, \$30.00; (ii) one or two other children under 16 years, \$32.00; (iii) three or more other children under 16 years, \$35.00. Where more than one child is born at a birth the allowance is increased by \$10.00 in respect of each additional child born at that birth. The allowance is not subject to a means test.

UNEMPLOYMENT AND SICKNESS BENEFITS PAID(a)

(For particulars of weekly average number of persons on benefit *see* page 15)

(\$'000)

Period	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
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UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFIT

Year—											
1961-62	8,804	7,207	5,272	1,786	1,452	696	13	44	25,274
1962-63	..	..	8,176	5,195	4,496	1,185	1,438	783	7	22	21,301
1963-64	..	..	5,084	2,750	2,694	751	1,403	750	4	22	13,458
1964-65	..	..	2,227	1,160	1,587	390	842	583	3	15	6,807
1965-66	..	..	2,773	1,216	2,458	709	368	275	3	11	7,813
Quarter ended—											
September 1965	..	..	575	283	283	99	132	121	1	3	1,496
December 1965	..	..	510	251	497	128	75	74	..	..	1,537
March 1966	..	..	823	340	993	218	88	47	1	3	2,513
June 1966	..	..	866	343	685	265	73	32	1	3	2,267
September 1966	..	..	1,016	571	408	407	111	69	1	4	2,588
December 1966	..	..	870	378	481	397	77	58	1	4	2,266

See footnote on next page.

Unemployment and Sickness Benefits Paid—*continued*
(\$'000)

Period	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
SICKNESS BENEFIT									
Year—									
1961-62	2,208	1,294	858	397	381	163	9	20	5,330
1962-63	2,783	1,648	1,056	525	505	203	10	21	6,750
1963-64	2,794	1,766	1,060	508	522	215	12	23	6,901
1964-65	2,681	1,645	948	475	512	201	12	23	6,498
1965-66	2,665	1,667	961	512	457	174	20	27	6,483
Quarter ended—									
September 1965 ..	677	456	245	136	121	51	4	6	1,695
December 1965 ..	683	430	254	124	117	40	6	7	1,662
March 1966	646	385	231	125	109	39	5	6	1,546
June 1966	659	395	236	127	110	44	5	7	1,584
September 1966 ..	699	460	245	146	119	57	5	7	1,737
December 1966 ..	658	438	235	132	108	47	5	8	1,632

(a) In addition \$1,206,000 (Australian total) was paid in special benefits during 1961-62, \$1,263,000 during 1962-63; \$1,266,000 during 1963-64; \$1,235,000 during 1964-65; \$1,261,000 during 1965-66; \$294,000 during the December quarter, 1966; these amounts include payments to migrants in reception and training centres.

NOTE. The rates of benefit per week from 1 March 1962 are \$8.25 for a married person or an unmarried adult, plus \$6.00 for dependent spouse and \$1.50 for each child under 16 years of age; for unmarried juveniles \$3.50 if under 18 years and \$4.75 if 18 and under 21 years. In certain cases \$6.00 per week might be paid in respect of claimant's housekeeper. Permissible weekly income from other sources is \$4.00 for adults and married persons and \$2.00 for unmarried persons under 21. For unemployment benefit, permissible income means income of claimant and spouse; for sickness benefit, permissible income means income of claimant only. There is a waiting period of seven days for which no payment is made.

AUSTRALIAN WAR AND SERVICE PENSIONS

War Pensions

Place of payment and year	Number of war pensions current at 30 June					Expenditure during year ended 30 June(b)
	Incapacitated ex-service-men	Dependants of incapacitated ex-service-men	Dependants of deceased ex-service-men	Miscellaneous(a)	Total	
1966—						\$'000
New South Wales(c)	77,710	122,284	20,654	320	220,968	59,012
Victoria	62,626	102,125	16,718	160	181,629	49,602
Queensland	32,787	56,736	7,434	441	97,398	25,973
South Australia(d)	20,969	35,566	5,033	88	61,656	14,667
Western Australia	19,188	31,016	4,317	39	54,560	12,637
Tasmania	8,623	15,831	1,984	8	26,446	6,919
Abroad	1,372	1,759	1,036	6	4,173	1,680
Total	223,275	365,317	57,176	1,062	646,830	170,490
Total—						
1965	223,248	379,734	56,423	1,032	660,437	153,805
1964	222,480	391,369	55,012	997	669,858	154,852
1963	219,778	397,008	53,615	817	671,218	141,036
1962	216,083	402,134	51,961	804	670,982	135,108

(a) War pensions payable under *Seamen's War Pensions and Allowances Act 1940-1966*, *Interim Forces Benefits Act 1947-1966*, *Native Members of the Forces Benefits Act 1957-66* and various Cabinet decisions. (b) Includes widows' allowances. (c) Includes Australian Capital Territory. (d) Includes Northern Territory.

Service Pensions

Place of payment and year	Number of service pensions current at 30 June					Expenditure during year ended 30 June	
	Ex-service-men	Dependants of—		Miscellaneous(a)	Total		
		Living service pensioners	Deceased service pensioners				
1966—						\$'000	
New South Wales(b)	..	16,214	3,916	905	..	21,035	9,499
Victoria	12,565	3,065	562	3	16,195	6,626
Queensland	7,892	2,940	404	251	11,487	4,477
South Australia(c)	..	5,200	1,238	342	3	6,783	3,025
Western Australia	6,187	1,131	437	2	7,757	3,571
Tasmania	1,709	827	101	..	2,637	964
Abroad	10
Total	49,767	13,117	2,751	259	65,894	28,172
Australia—							
1965	49,236	12,915	2,773	254	65,178	25,508
1964	48,423	13,523	2,642	200	64,788	24,198
1963	46,256	13,375	2,530	..	62,161	21,657
1962	42,328	12,804	2,456	..	57,588	19,423

(a) Includes Native Members of the Forces and Act of Grace Pensions. (b) Includes Australian Capital Territory. (c) Includes Northern Territory.

NOTE. Particulars of ex-servicewomen are included in the foregoing tables where relevant.

GOVERNMENT AND NON-GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS—ENROLMENTS

State or Territory and year	Schools	Census enrolment(a)	
		Boys	Girls

GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS				
1965—				
New South Wales	2,692	341,229	312,207	
Victoria	2,232	266,815	237,305	
Queensland	1,336	136,645	125,580	
South Australia	675	106,079	96,557	
Western Australia	544	74,103	66,848	
Tasmania	296	37,306	34,309	
Northern Territory	41	3,628	3,315	
Australian Capital Territory ..	28	7,901	7,293	
Australia	7,844	973,706	883,414	
Australia—				
1964	7,872	946,294	855,070	
1963	7,910	924,122	832,416	
1962	7,941	901,574	811,691	
1961	7,965	874,028	790,034	

NON-GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS				
1965—				
New South Wales	806	106,632	107,987	
Victoria	582	89,191	93,415	
Queensland	350	41,846	41,567	
South Australia	172	18,527	19,339	
Western Australia	204	18,103	19,756	
Tasmania	64	7,043	7,645	
Northern Territory	26	1,347	1,451	
Australian Capital Territory ..	17	3,501	3,207	
Australia	2,221	286,190	294,367	
Australia—				
1964	2,205	278,754	286,661	
1963	2,193	272,325	280,434	
1962	2,178	266,072	273,815	
1961	2,149	260,165	267,032	

TOTAL—ALL SCHOOLS				
1965—				
New South Wales	3,498	447,861	420,194	
Victoria	2,814	356,006	330,720	
Queensland	1,686	178,491	167,147	
South Australia	847	124,606	115,896	
Western Australia	748	92,206	86,604	
Tasmania	360	44,349	41,954	
Northern Territory	67	4,975	4,766	
Australian Capital Territory ..	45	11,402	10,500	
Australia	10,065	1,259,896	1,177,781	
Australia—				
1964	10,077	1,225,048	1,141,731	
1963	10,103	1,196,447	1,112,850	
1962	10,119	1,167,646	1,085,506	
1961	10,114	1,134,193	1,057,066	

(a) In first week of August.

GOVERNMENT AND NON-GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS—TEACHERS 1965(a)

State or Territory	Number of full-time teachers			Part-time teaching					
				Number of teachers			Equivalent full-time units(b)		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons

GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS									
New South Wales ..	12,413	14,418	26,831	15	863	878	8	407	415
Victoria ..	10,129	9,954	20,083	(c) 827	989	1,816	543	591	1,134
Queensland ..	5,117	4,199	9,316	74	622	696	6	50	56
South Australia ..	3,246	4,626	7,872	18	450	468	10	133	143
Western Australia ..	2,608	2,326	4,934	6	113	119	2	37	39
Tasmania ..	1,216	1,915	3,131	18	176	194	7	48	55
Northern Territory ..	112	170	282	..	4	4	..	1	1
Australian Capital Territory	238	358	596	3	31	34	2	22	24
Australia ..	35,079	37,966	73,045	961	3,248	4,209	578	1,289	1,867

NON-GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS									
New South Wales ..	1,823	5,019	6,842	355	1,388	1,743	120	323	443
Victoria ..	1,427	4,124	5,551	231	918	1,149	56	222	278
Queensland ..	719	1,824	2,543	75	417	492	24	83	107
South Australia ..	401	851	1,252	64	291	355	18	96	114
Western Australia ..	363	884	1,247	49	137	186	14	32	46
Tasmania ..	157	352	509	21	136	157	3	26	29
Northern Territory ..	(d) 15	(d) 57	(d) 72	..	1	1	..	..	..
Australian Capital Territory	71	169	240	10	18	28	2	4	6
Australia ..	4,976	13,280	18,256	805	3,306	4,111	237	786	1,023

TOTAL—ALL SCHOOLS									
New South Wales ..	14,236	19,437	33,673	370	2,251	2,621	128	730	858
Victoria ..	11,556	14,078	25,634	1,058	1,907	2,965	599	813	1,412
Queensland ..	5,836	6,023	11,859	149	1,039	1,188	30	133	163
South Australia ..	3,647	5,477	9,124	82	741	823	28	229	257
Western Australia ..	2,971	3,210	6,181	55	250	305	16	69	85
Tasmania ..	1,373	2,267	3,640	39	312	351	10	74	84
Northern Territory ..	127	227	354	..	5	5	..	1	1
Australian Capital Territory	309	527	836	13	49	62	4	26	30
Australia ..	40,055	51,246	91,301	1,766	6,554	8,320	815	2,075	2,890

(a) Teachers-in-training are generally excluded. (b) The methods used for calculating equivalent full-time units of part-time teaching vary from State to State, between government and non-government schools and between primary and secondary schools within States. For most schools the information is based on either the total hours worked or total number of class periods taken in a week by part-time teachers in relation to the normal hours worked or periods taken by full-time teachers. (c) A large proportion of part-time male teachers in Victoria is engaged in junior technical schools. A teacher is included as part-time if his teaching time at a junior technical school is less than 32 hours per week. (d) Unqualified teachers and teaching assistants at mission schools are excluded.

UNIVERSITIES

University	Teaching and research staff(a)		Students enrolled	Degrees conferred (c)	Total income (d)	Total expenditure(d)
	Full-time	Part-time(b)				
	p1966		p1966	1965	p1965	
					\$'000	\$'000
Australian National	241	176	3,094	186	19,435	18,667
Sydney	887	1,295	16,271	2,253	22,380	20,654
New South Wales	788	862	12,719	1,056	19,341	20,330
New England	281	10	4,259	381	6,458	6,154
Newcastle	133	110	1,938	r ..	3,725	3,458
Macquarie(e)	14	..	9	..	3,765	3,832
Total New South Wales ..	2,103	2,277	35,196	r 3,690	55,669	54,428
Melbourne	857	995	13,603	1,714	18,029	17,967
Monash	489	374	5,894	180	13,608	12,684
Trobo(e)	3	..	..	..	1,052	534
Total Victoria	1,349	1,369	19,497	1,894	32,689	31,185
Queensland	856	454	14,803	1,099	17,118	17,086
Adelaide	499	425	9,339	846	9,887	9,843
Flinders(f)	58	54	416	..	4,106	4,354
Total South Australia ..	557	479	9,755	846	13,993	14,197
Western Australia	340	420	5,449	595	9,463	9,216
Tasmania	159	200	2,350	232	3,370	3,527
All Universities	5,605	5,375	(g) 90,144	r 8,542	151,737	148,306
Australia—						
1965	5,104	5,167	(h) 83,320	r 8,542	p 151,737	p 148,306
1964	4,723	4,358	(h) 76,188	7,584	127,265	122,072
1963	4,289	3,847	(h) 69,074	6,704	107,503	105,368
1962	3,901	3,472	(h) 63,317	5,897	97,606	98,712

(a) Excludes 'research only' staff. (b) Units of 100 teaching hours per annum. (c) Twelve months ended 31 July. (d) Includes income and expenditure of funds not controlled by universities. (e) To be opened in 1967. (f) Formerly the University of Adelaide at Bedford Park. Became autonomous in 1966. (g) Enrolments to 31 March 1966. Enrolments are for courses, i.e., a student enrolled for more than one course is counted more than once. (h) Enrolments to 31 July. A student enrolled in more than one course is counted only once.

POLICE AND PRISONS

State or Territory and year				Police strength	Prisons	Prisoners
30 June 1965—						
New South Wales .. ..	..	..	..	6,151	18	2,957
Victoria .. .. .	..	..	..	4,466	13	1,879
Queensland .. .. .	..	..	..	2,810	7	(a)944
South Australia .. .. .	..	..	..	1,926	14	(a)706
Western Australia .. ..	..	..	..	1,277	19	(a)573
Tasmania .. .. .	..	..	..	633	1	(a)210
Northern Territory .. ..	..	..	..	155	2	(a)(b) 62
Australian Capital Territory	..	..	..	165	..	..
Australia .. .. .	..	..	..	17,583	74	7,331
Australia—						
1964 .. .. .	..	..	..	17,156	74	7,471
1963 .. .. .	..	..	..	16,731	73	7,478
1962 .. .. .	..	..	..	16,258	74	7,226
1961 .. .. .	..	..	..	15,888	75	7,190

(a) Excludes Aborigines. (b) As at 16 January 1966.

NOTE. The above table excludes Commonwealth Police Force which had the following strength: 1961, 562; 1962, 571; 1963, 566; 1964, 624; 1965, 710.

PUBLIC HOSPITALS AND NURSING HOMES

State or Territory and year	At 30 June				Year ended 30 June		
	Hos-pitals	Beds	Medical staff (a)	Nursing staff	In-patients (daily average) (b)	Revenue	Expendi-ture
1965—						\$'000	\$'000
New South Wales(c) ..	267	24,366	6,142	16,479	17,575	112,544	113,078
Victoria ..	153	13,529	2,880	11,322	9,444	75,676	74,155
Queensland ..	143	12,949	960	6,402	8,452	40,894	41,178
South Australia ..	66	4,606	940	3,490	3,115	24,085	24,777
Western Australia ..	92	5,179	611	3,516	3,396	29,070	28,898
Tasmania ..	27	2,838	271	1,729	1,966	9,985	9,990
Northern Territory ..	4	556	23	246	388	2,733	2,733
Australian Capital Territory ..	1	454	93	456	333	4,900	4,799
Australia ..	753	64,477	11,920	43,640	44,669	299,887	299,607
Australia—							
1964	748	63,424	r11,287	r42,104	44,004	278,216	r275,526
1963	746	62,487	r11,023	r40,206	42,926	258,271	254,753
1962	739	61,650	10,535	r39,094	42,166	239,787	239,548
1961	736	61,039	10,386	37,607	41,009	218,798	217,112

(a) Includes honorary and visiting medical staff—Australia, 8,361. (b) New born are excluded. (c) Excludes the six State hospitals and nursing homes.

NOTE. Out-patients cases treated at public hospitals during 1964–65 were as follows: New South Wales, 1,502,499; Victoria, 776,169; Queensland, 720,157; South Australia, 142,208; Western Australia, 179,000 (estimated); Tasmania, 103,355; Northern Territory, 119,423; Australian Capital Territory, 20,402; Australia, 3,563,213 (partly estimated).

MENTAL HOSPITALS

State and year	At 30 June					Year ended 30 June	
	Hos-pitals	Beds	Medical staff	Nursing staff	Patients (no. resident) (a)	Revenue (b)	Expendi-ture
1964—						\$'000	\$'000
New South Wales ..	15	13,279	(c)192	3,117	13,039	1,877	21,512
Victoria(d) ..	10	9,586	143	2,700	8,064	(e)1,384	(e)19,446
Queensland(f) ..	5	4,322	20	1,218	4,005	258	5,546
South Australia ..	2	2,442	24	618	2,075	219	3,753
Western Australia ..	6	1,923	17	478	r 2,101	(g) 300	(g) 3,901
Tasmania ..	1	850	6	236	709	66	1,984
Australia ..	39	32,402	402	8,367	r29,993	4,104	56,143
Australia—							
1963	38	32,607	373	7,914	31,303	3,658	50,740
1962	38	32,113	346	7,587	r 32,256	3,203	48,696
1961	40	32,170	297	7,412	34,110	2,920	44,151
1960	40	32,191	281	7,106	32,282	2,276	40,710

(a) Including patients on trial leave. (b) Excludes Government grants. (c) Includes 47 visiting paid specialists. (d) Year ended 31 December 1963. (e) Includes institutions in addition to the 10 mental hospitals. (f) Includes the Epileptic Home. (g) Relates to all mental health services, including expenditure by other Departments for this purpose.

SECTION XIII. WAGES AND PRICES

AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS^(a) PER EMPLOYED MALE UNIT^(b)

The following figures are derived from employment and wages and salaries recorded on Payroll Tax returns, from other direct collections and from estimates of the unrecorded balance. The figures relate to civilians only.

(\$)

Period	N.S.W.(c)	Vic.	Qld	S.A.(d)	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
Year—							
1961-62	49.10	48.50	43.20	44.70	43.00	45.30	47.20
1962-63	50.20	50.10	44.40	45.80	44.20	45.90	48.40
1963-64	52.60	52.50	46.90	48.20	47.20	48.40	50.90
1964-65	56.50	56.40	50.40	52.00	49.50	51.00	54.60
1965-66	58.60	59.20	52.50	53.80	54.10	53.80	57.00
Quarter—							
September 1964 ..	55.00	55.60	49.40	52.20	48.10	49.60	53.50
December 1964 ..	59.30	58.70	52.50	53.40	51.80	51.90	57.00
March 1965	54.10	54.10	47.70	50.10	46.40	49.70	52.20
June 1965	57.70	57.40	51.90	52.30	51.60	52.70	55.80
September 1965 ..	58.20	59.20	52.60	54.60	53.10	50.50	56.80
December 1965 ..	60.30	61.40	55.30	55.30	55.50	56.40	59.00
March 1966	56.90	55.60	49.20	51.40	52.40	53.10	54.60
June 1966	58.80	60.50	52.70	53.80	55.30	55.20	57.70
September 1966 ..	61.40	62.50	55.20	56.50	57.90	54.90	60.00
December 1966 ..	63.80	64.80	57.80	57.80	59.50	59.50	62.30

(a) Includes, in addition to wages at award rates, earnings of salaried employees, overtime earnings, over-award and bonus payments, payments made in advance or retrospectively during the periods specified, etc. (b) Total wages and salaries, etc., divided by the total number of civilian employees expressed in male units, i.e. total male employees plus 55 per cent of female employees. This proportion is derived from the estimated ratio of female to male earnings in Australia. As it was not possible to estimate the ratio of female to male earnings in the several States, the same ratio has been used for each State. Because the actual ratio may vary between States, precise comparisons between average earnings in different States cannot be made on the basis of the figures above. (c) Includes Australian Capital Territory. (d) Includes Northern Territory.

NOTE. Quarterly figures are affected by seasonal influences. Comparisons as to trend are generally best made by relating complete years or corresponding periods of incomplete years. However, from December quarter 1963 comparisons with corresponding quarters of earlier years are affected by additional prepayments arising from extensions of annual leave from two to three weeks. Indexes of average weekly earnings, seasonally adjusted, are shown in the next table.

INDEXES OF AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS^(a): AUSTRALIA

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

(Base: 1953-54 = 100)

Period	All industries (b)	Manu- facturing (c)	Period	All industries (b)	Manu- facturing (c)
1956-57	117.7	118.3	1964-65—		
1957-58	120.8	122.0	September Quarter ..	163.6	165.3
1958-59	124.5	125.6	December Quarter ..	165.5	164.2
1959-60	134.3	135.4	March Quarter	169.7	168.4
1960-61	140.6	141.1	June Quarter	170.3	170.4
1961-62	144.7	143.4			
1962-63	148.3	147.7	1965-66—		
1963-64	155.9	154.8	September Quarter ..	172.4	172.0
1964-65	167.3	167.1	December Quarter ..	173.6	172.5
1965-66	174.6	173.4	March Quarter	175.9	173.3
			June Quarter	176.4	175.7
1963-64—					
September Quarter ..	150.9	151.4			
December Quarter ..	155.4	152.8	1966-67—		
March Quarter	157.9	156.9	September Quarter ..	182.0	181.0
June Quarter	159.0	158.2	December Quarter ..	183.7	

(a) See footnote (a) to table above. (b) Average earnings per employed male unit. Based on Payroll Tax returns and other data. (c) The index for manufacturing industries for the years 1956-57 to 1964-65 is based on the average earnings of male wage and salary earners employed in factories as disclosed by annual Factory Censuses. The figures from September quarter 1965 are interim estimates based on Payroll Tax returns and are subject to revision when the Factory Census for 1965-66 is tabulated.

INDEXES OF MINIMUM WAGE RATES AND HOURS OF WORK

NOTE: The indexes of weighted average minimum weekly and hourly wage rates and standard hours of work shown on this and the following two pages are based, in the main, on the occupation structure existing in 1954.

Each of the occupations included in the indexes is individually weighted. From the wage rates and hours of work for these occupations, weighted averages are calculated for each industry and for all groups.

In the following tables the weighted averages so calculated are shown in dollars and cents and also as index numbers with the weighted average for the year 1954 as base (=100).

For details of wage rates and index numbers from 1939 reference should be made to the following Statistical Bulletins: S.B. 123, *Minimum Weekly Wage Rates, 1939 to 1959*; and S.B. 31, *Minimum Wage Rates, January 1960 to June 1963*. Figures for the months July 1963 to June 1964 will be found in the monthly bulletin, *Wage Rates and Earnings, June 1965*. Figures for months subsequent to June 1964 will be found in the monthly bulletins, *Wage Rates and Earnings*, commencing with the June 1966 issue.

MINIMUM WEEKLY WAGE RATES(a): ALL GROUPS

Indexes of Weighted Average Minimum Weekly Rates payable for a Full Week's Work (excluding overtime), as prescribed in Awards, Determinations and Agreements, and Index Numbers of Wage Rates.

End of—	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
ADULT MALES—RATES OF WAGE(b) (\$)							
December 1961	37.34	36.22	35.98	35.46	36.38	36.27	36.58
December 1962	37.37	36.37	35.97	35.65	36.57	36.48	36.66
December 1963	38.28	37.20	37.00	36.40	37.50	37.29	37.55
December 1964	40.27	39.47	39.22	38.69	38.82	39.69	39.65
December 1965	41.04	40.34	41.66	39.48	40.49	40.71	40.74
September 1966	43.14	42.66	43.41	41.69	43.06	43.15	42.91

ADULT MALES—INDEX NUMBERS (BASE: AUSTRALIA, 1954=100)

December 1961	132.2	128.2	127.4	125.6	128.8	128.4	129.5
December 1962	132.3	128.8	127.4	126.2	129.5	129.2	129.8
December 1963	135.5	131.7	131.0	128.9	132.8	132.0	133.0
December 1964	142.6	139.8	138.9	137.0	137.5	140.5	140.4
December 1965	145.3	142.8	147.5	139.8	143.4	144.2	144.3
September 1966	152.7	151.0	153.7	147.6	152.4	152.8	151.9

ADULT FEMALES—RATES OF WAGE(b) (\$)

December 1961	26.92	25.66	25.55	25.20	25.66	24.82	26.12
December 1962	26.91	25.67	25.58	25.23	26.22	24.83	26.15
December 1963	27.61	26.08	26.17	25.52	26.65	25.21	26.69
December 1964	29.24	27.67	28.15	27.29	27.70	27.04	28.34
December 1965	29.92	28.46	29.15	27.75	28.69	27.95	29.09
September 1966	31.45	30.02	30.32	29.38	30.45	29.50	30.61

ADULT FEMALES—INDEX NUMBERS (BASE: AUSTRALIA, 1954=100)

December 1961	135.2	128.9	128.3	126.6	128.9	124.7	131.2
December 1962	135.2	128.9	128.5	126.7	131.7	124.7	131.4
December 1963	138.7	131.0	131.4	128.2	133.9	126.6	134.1
December 1964	146.9	139.0	141.4	137.1	139.1	135.8	142.3
December 1965	150.3	143.0	146.4	139.4	144.1	140.4	146.1
September 1966	157.9	150.7	152.3	147.5	153.0	148.2	153.8

(a) Excludes Rural. (b) The amounts shown should not be regarded as actual current averages but as indexes expressed in money terms, indicative of trends.

WEEKLY AND HOURLY RATES OF WAGE AND WEEKLY HOURS OF WORK:

ADULT MALES, INDUSTRY GROUPS, 30 SEPTEMBER 1966(a)

Indexes of Weighted Average Minimum Weekly Rates payable for a Full Week's Work (excluding overtime), and Weekly Hours of Work, as prescribed in Awards, Determinations and Agreements, and Indexes of Hourly Rates.

Industry group	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
WEEKLY RATES OF WAGE(\$)							
Mining and quarrying(b) ..	53.04	42.34	52.90	41.01	44.83	43.92	50.26
Manufacturing—							
Engineering, metals, vehicles, etc.	41.45	41.41	43.38	41.27	43.44	43.75	41.71
Textiles, clothing and footwear ..	40.90	40.55	41.07	39.57	41.09	39.73	40.65
Food, drink and tobacco ..	42.09	43.47	42.70	40.31	42.56	41.48	42.51
Sawmilling, furniture, etc. ..	42.26	40.49	42.03	40.82	41.67	41.04	41.58
Paper, printing, etc. ..	44.68	45.85	48.28	45.89	49.71	43.06	45.60
Other manufacturing ..	42.16	41.46	41.65	41.25	41.13	41.58	41.73
All manufacturing groups ..	41.86	41.79	42.96	41.26	42.73	42.36	41.96
Building and construction ..	43.82	46.87	42.74	43.01	44.61	44.03	44.39
Railway services ..	42.44	39.58	43.55	40.71	40.94	43.51	41.82
Road and air transport ..	43.92	42.35	40.07	40.95	43.02	43.44	42.64
Shipping and stevedoring(c) ..	41.90	42.11	41.68	41.87	41.83	41.42	41.87
Communication ..	49.79	49.53	49.14	49.13	49.42	49.10	49.52
Wholesale and retail trade ..	42.75	42.84	43.11	41.43	42.57	43.30	42.71
Public authority (n.e.i.) and community and business services ..	43.15	42.16	41.91	40.66	40.63	44.95	42.25
Amusement, hotels, personal service, etc. ..	41.68	39.69	39.74	39.09	40.08	40.23	40.48
All industry groups(d) ..	43.14	42.66	43.41	41.69	43.06	43.15	42.91

HOURLY RATES OF WAGE (CENTS)

Mining and quarrying(b) ..	134.55	105.85	132.24	102.52	115.61	109.81	127.19
Manufacturing—							
Engineering, metals, vehicles, etc.	103.62	103.53	108.45	103.16	108.60	109.38	104.27
Textiles, clothing and footwear ..	102.25	101.38	102.66	98.92	102.73	99.34	101.62
Food, drink and tobacco ..	105.38	108.67	106.75	100.78	106.41	103.69	106.33
Sawmilling, furniture, etc. ..	105.65	101.23	105.07	102.04	104.18	102.59	103.94
Paper, printing, etc. ..	111.69	114.79	120.71	114.72	126.78	107.64	114.15
Other manufacturing ..	105.39	103.75	104.13	103.38	102.59	104.03	104.37
All manufacturing groups ..	104.67	104.50	107.40	103.20	106.87	105.91	104.91
Building and construction ..	109.55	117.17	106.85	107.53	111.53	110.09	110.98
Railway services ..	106.09	99.05	108.87	101.77	102.36	108.78	104.57
Road and air transport ..	109.79	105.87	100.17	102.37	107.54	108.61	106.59
Communication ..	124.47	123.83	122.85	124.08	123.55	124.01	123.95
Wholesale and retail trade ..	106.87	107.09	107.78	103.57	106.42	108.25	106.77
Public authority (n.e.i.) and community and business services ..	109.99	108.29	106.05	103.62	102.66	114.12	107.64
Amusement, hotels, personal service, etc. ..	104.20	99.22	99.34	97.73	100.21	100.57	101.21
All industry groups(e) ..	108.06	106.77	108.72	104.31	108.05	108.22	107.46

WEEKLY HOURS OF WORK

Mining and quarrying(b) ..	39.42	40.00	40.00	40.00	38.78	40.00	39.52
Manufacturing—							
Engineering, metals, vehicles, etc.	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Textiles, clothing and footwear ..	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Food, drink and tobacco ..	39.94	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	39.98
Sawmilling, furniture, etc. ..	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Paper, printing, etc. ..	40.00	39.94	40.00	40.00	39.21	40.00	39.95
Other manufacturing ..	40.00	39.96	40.00	39.91	40.09	39.97	39.98
All manufacturing groups ..	39.99	39.99	40.00	39.98	39.98	40.00	39.99
Building and construction ..	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Railway services ..	40.00	39.96	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	39.99
Road and air transport ..	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Communication ..	40.00	40.00	40.00	39.59	40.00	39.59	39.95
Wholesale and retail trade ..	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Public authority (n.e.i.) and community and business services ..	39.23	38.93	39.52	39.23	39.58	39.39	39.25
Amusement, hotels, personal service, etc. ..	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
All industry groups(e) ..	39.95	39.97	39.98	39.96	39.89	39.97	39.96

(a) See footnotes on following page.

**WEEKLY AND HOURLY RATES OF WAGE AND WEEKLY HOURS OF WORK:
ADULT FEMALES, INDUSTRY GROUPS, 30 SEPTEMBER 1966(a)**

Indexes of Weighted Average Minimum Weekly Rates payable for a Full Week's Work (excluding overtime), and Weekly Hours of Work, as prescribed in Awards, Determinations and Agreements, and Indexes of Hourly Rates.

Industry group	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
WEEKLY RATES OF WAGE(\$)							
Manufacturing—							
Engineering, metals, vehicles, etc.	30.89	29.46	29.63	28.53	30.18	29.88	30.07
Textiles, clothing and footwear ..	28.98	28.54	28.83	28.90	29.22	27.94	28.75
Food, drink and tobacco ..	31.08	29.22	29.39	28.46	28.59	28.19	29.78
Other manufacturing ..	30.53	29.33	30.47	28.76	29.48	28.66	29.95
All manufacturing groups ..	29.99	28.90	29.40	28.67	29.24	28.31	29.38
Transport and communication ..	33.55	32.42	33.01	32.32	32.86	33.11	32.99
Wholesale and retail trade ..	33.34	32.27	31.25	30.03	30.94	29.84	32.18
Public authority (n.e.i.) and community and business services ..	33.69	31.41	30.25	30.18	29.61	32.86	32.00
Amusement, hotels, personal service, etc. ..	30.48	29.03	28.73	27.73	31.09	29.09	29.72
All industry groups ..	31.45	30.02	30.32	29.38	30.45	29.50	30.61

HOURLY RATES OF WAGE (CENTS)							
Manufacturing—							
Engineering, metals, vehicles, etc.	77.27	73.90	74.08	71.32	75.44	74.69	75.28
Textiles, clothing and footwear ..	72.52	71.36	72.08	72.24	73.04	69.84	71.90
Food, drink and tobacco ..	77.70	73.04	73.48	71.15	71.48	70.48	74.44
Other manufacturing ..	76.73	73.43	76.17	72.16	73.70	71.64	75.12
All manufacturing groups ..	75.13	72.30	73.50	71.73	73.11	70.78	73.53
Transport and communication ..	88.19	85.45	87.29	85.42	86.77	91.22	87.00
Wholesale and retail trade ..	84.29	80.68	78.11	75.07	77.34	74.59	80.82
Public authority (n.e.i.) and community and business services ..	87.52	80.02	77.09	77.01	75.07	87.17	82.20
Amusement, hotels, personal service, etc. ..	77.35	72.69	71.98	69.57	77.88	72.95	74.91
All industry groups ..	79.57	75.41	76.38	73.89	76.54	74.44	77.17

WEEKLY HOURS OF WORK							
Manufacturing—							
Engineering, metals, vehicles, etc.	39.97	39.87	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	39.94
Textiles, clothing and footwear ..	39.95	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	39.98
Food, drink and tobacco ..	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Other manufacturing ..	39.79	39.94	40.00	39.86	40.00	40.00	39.87
All manufacturing groups ..	39.92	39.97	40.00	39.97	40.00	40.00	39.95
Transport and communication ..	38.04	37.94	37.81	37.84	37.88	36.30	37.91
Wholesale and retail trade ..	39.55	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	39.82
Public authority (n.e.i.) and community and business services ..	38.49	39.25	39.24	39.19	39.44	37.70	38.93
Amusement, hotels, personal service, etc. ..	39.40	39.94	39.91	39.85	39.92	39.88	39.68
All industry groups ..	39.53	39.81	39.70	39.77	39.78	39.63	39.67

(a) The amounts shown should not be regarded as actual current averages, but as indexes expressed in money and hour terms, indicative of trends. (b) For mining, the average rates of wage and hours are those prevailing at the principal mining centres in each State. (c) Average rates of wage are for occupations other than masters, officers and engineers in the Merchant Marine Service, and include value of keep, where supplied. (d) Excludes Rural. (e) Excludes Rural, and Shipping and Stevedoring. The former is not included in the Minimum Wage Rate Index and for the latter definite particulars for the computation of average hours of work and hourly rates of wage are not available.

**BASIC WAGE—WEEKLY RATES FOR ADULT MALES UNDER AWARDS OF
COMMONWEALTH CONCILIATION AND ARBITRATION COMMISSION(a)**

(\$)

Date operative(b)	Sydney	Melbourne	Brisbane	Adelaide	Perth	Hobart	Six capitals
December 1950	16.50	16.20	15.40	15.80	16.00	16.00	16.20
November 1951	20.70	19.90	18.50	19.50	19.70	19.90	20.00
November 1952	23.70	22.80	21.60	22.90	22.80	23.00	23.10
August 1953(c)	24.30	23.50	21.80	23.10	23.60	24.20	23.60
June 1956	25.30	24.50	22.80	24.10	24.60	25.20	24.60
May 15 1957	26.30	25.50	23.80	25.10	25.60	26.20	25.60
May 21 1958	26.80	26.00	24.30	25.60	26.10	26.70	26.10
June 11 1959	28.30	27.50	25.80	27.10	27.60	28.20	27.60
July 7 1961	29.50	28.70	27.00	28.30	28.80	29.40	28.80
June 19 1964	31.50	30.70	29.00	30.30	30.80	31.40	30.80
July 11 1966	33.50	32.70	31.00	32.30	32.80	33.40	32.80

(a) Commonwealth Court of Conciliation and Arbitration prior to 30 June 1956. (b) Rates operative from beginning of first pay-period commencing in month shown or commencing on or after the date shown. (c) Automatic adjustment of basic wages in accordance with variations in retail price index numbers discontinued.

NOTE. Since December 1950, the female basic wage has been 75 per cent of the corresponding male rate.

STATE BASIC WAGES

In New South Wales automatic quarterly adjustments to the basic wage were discontinued following legislation passed in October 1964, and Commonwealth basic wage rates were adopted, retrospective to 19 June 1964. State basic wages are not declared in Victoria and Tasmania, but Wages Boards, which determine minimum rates to be paid in various industry groups or callings, now generally adopt Commonwealth rates. In Queensland, the industrial authority may declare a basic wage only after an inquiry. In South Australia the rates have been the same as Commonwealth rates since 1950. Up to December 1966, the industrial authority in Western Australia determined the basic wage each quarter after considering retail price index numbers. In December 1966, legislation provided that the Western Australian basic wage rates would be the same as the Commonwealth Six Capitals rates as soon as these exceed the State rates operative from 24 October 1966. In all States, since May 1961, the basic wage for adult females has been 75 per cent of the adult male rate.

STATE BASIC WAGES: WEEKLY RATES

State and locality	Date operative	Males	Females
New South Wales	11.7.66	\$ 33.50	\$ 25.10
Victoria	11.7.66	32.70	24.50
Queensland—			
Southern Division—			
Eastern District, including Brisbane	23.5.66	32.70	24.55
Western District	23.5.66	33.75	25.35
Mackay Division	23.5.66	33.60	25.23
Northern Division—			
Eastern District	23.5.66	33.75	25.35
Western District	23.5.66	35.95	27.00
South Australia	11.7.66	32.30	24.20
Western Australia—			
Metropolitan Area(a)	24.10.66	33.50	25.13
S.W. Land Division(a)			
Goldfields and other areas(a)			
Tasmania	11.7.66	33.40	25.05

(a) Differential rates abolished as from 22 September 1964.

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX: GROUP INDEX NUMBERS

Six State Capital Cities and Canberra

(Base of each Index: Year 1952-53 = 100.0)

The Consumer Price Index has been compiled for periods from September quarter 1948. A detailed description of the index is contained in Labour Report, No. 51, 1964.

Period			State Capital Cities—separately and combined						Canberra	
			Weighted average of six State Capital Cities	Sydney	Melbourne	Brisbane	Adelaide	Perth		Hobart
ALL GROUPS										
Year—										
1956-57	..	..	113.1	112.9	114.0	112.0	111.1	112.9	116.9	113.3
1957-58	..	..	114.2	114.5	114.4	114.4	111.9	113.6	117.0	114.0
1958-59	..	..	116.0	115.3	116.6	118.2	114.5	114.7	118.7	115.4
1959-60	..	..	118.9	117.8	120.0	121.2	118.0	116.9	120.8	117.8
1960-61	..	..	123.8	122.1	125.9	125.4	122.9	121.2	127.5	121.4
1961-62	..	..	124.3	122.6	126.3	127.3	122.5	121.6	128.1	123.1
1962-63	..	..	124.5	123.2	126.2	127.7	122.1	122.2	128.0	123.4
1963-64	..	..	125.7	124.5	127.1	129.0	123.5	123.8	129.4	124.3
1964-65	..	..	130.4	128.8	132.2	133.9	128.6	127.6	133.6	128.1
1965-66	..	..	135.2	133.1	137.1	140.4	132.7	132.5	138.3	131.9
Quarter—										
1964-65—September	..		128.5	127.3	129.6	131.9	126.9	126.6	131.7	126.6
December	..		130.0	128.4	131.8	133.4	128.6	126.6	133.4	128.0
March	..		130.9	129.1	132.9	134.6	128.9	128.0	134.0	128.4
June	..		132.1	130.3	134.4	135.7	129.9	129.3	135.2	129.5
1965-66—September	..		133.5	131.8	135.6	138.3	130.7	130.0	137.0	130.8
December	..		135.2	133.3	137.2	140.0	132.7	131.7	138.8	132.3
March	..		135.4	133.3	137.2	141.4	133.1	132.8	138.1	132.0
June	..		136.5	134.0	138.5	141.7	134.4	135.3	139.3	132.4
1966-67—September	..		137.1	134.7	139.1	142.5	135.0	136.3	139.2	133.0
December	..		138.4	136.2	140.1	143.6	136.5	136.9	140.1	134.0
FOOD GROUP										
Year—										
1956-57	..	..	115.3	114.2	117.8	111.5	114.7	116.0	118.6	118.2
1957-58	..	..	113.3	112.8	114.3	113.0	111.8	114.4	115.1	115.6
1958-59	..	..	115.4	113.4	116.1	119.8	117.5	115.2	116.8	117.8
1959-60	..	..	119.8	117.5	120.8	124.2	123.1	118.4	118.5	121.6
1960-61	..	..	127.7	124.4	130.2	130.4	132.2	124.4	132.1	128.5
1961-62	..	..	125.5	121.9	127.8	130.8	127.6	123.5	129.0	124.6
1962-63	..	..	124.3	121.1	126.0	129.8	126.0	123.9	127.2	122.3
1963-64	..	..	126.0	122.6	127.2	133.1	129.1	125.4	128.8	123.2
1964-65	..	..	133.0	129.6	133.9	141.5	136.6	130.5	134.5	129.4
1965-66	..	..	139.3	136.2	139.5	150.9	141.2	136.6	141.4	135.4
Quarter—										
1964-65—September	..		130.7	127.5	131.6	138.0	133.6	130.3	131.6	127.2
December	..		132.1	128.5	133.5	140.3	136.6	128.4	134.2	128.7
March	..		133.1	129.8	133.8	142.7	136.8	130.1	135.0	129.4
June	..		135.9	132.7	136.7	145.0	139.4	133.3	137.2	132.4
1965-66—September	..		139.3	136.7	139.9	149.7	141.0	134.4	140.9	135.9
December	..		139.5	137.0	140.0	151.0	140.6	133.9	142.6	136.2
March	..		138.4	135.6	138.0	151.7	140.0	135.8	140.0	134.7
June	..		139.8	135.5	139.9	151.1	143.3	142.1	142.2	134.8
1966-67—September	..		139.7	136.4	138.5	151.0	143.4	143.1	140.9	135.5
December	..		140.7	137.6	139.6	152.8	144.3	140.9	141.3	137.6

NOTE. The separate city indexes measure price movements within each city individually. They do not compare price levels as between cities.

Consumer Price Index—continued
(Base of each Index: Year 1952-53 = 100.0)

Period	State Capital Cities—separately and combined							Canberra
	Weighted average of six State Capital Cities	Sydney	Melbourne	Brisbane	Adelaide	Perth	Hobart	

CLOTHING AND DRAPERY GROUP

Year—										
1956-57	..	..	103.9	103.5	104.9	104.7	101.7	103.1	106.1	103.2
1957-58	..	..	107.0	106.4	108.4	107.8	104.4	105.7	108.7	105.8
1958-59	..	..	108.2	107.5	109.6	109.4	105.4	107.2	109.8	106.6
1959-60	..	..	109.4	108.5	110.7	111.9	106.8	108.2	110.7	107.6
1960-61	..	..	111.6	110.3	112.8	115.1	109.5	110.8	112.4	109.4
1961-62	..	..	112.8	111.4	114.0	116.7	111.2	111.7	114.0	110.5
1962-63	..	..	113.2	111.8	114.4	117.0	111.7	112.0	114.5	111.0
1963-64	..	..	114.0	112.5	115.2	117.8	112.8	112.8	115.1	111.5
1964-65	..	..	115.6	114.2	116.8	119.5	114.4	114.1	116.7	113.1
1965-66	..	..	117.0	115.6	118.1	121.0	115.5	115.4	117.9	114.4
Quarter—										
1964-65—	September	..	115.0	113.6	116.3	118.8	113.8	113.6	116.1	112.5
	December	..	115.4	113.9	116.6	119.2	114.2	113.9	116.4	112.9
	March	..	115.8	114.4	116.9	119.7	114.6	114.3	116.9	113.3
	June	..	116.3	114.9	117.5	120.1	115.0	114.7	117.3	113.8
1965-66—	September	..	116.3	114.9	117.5	120.2	115.0	114.7	117.2	113.8
	December	..	116.6	115.2	117.7	120.6	115.3	115.0	117.5	114.0
	March	..	116.9	115.5	118.1	120.9	115.6	115.4	117.9	114.5
	June	..	118.0	116.6	119.1	122.2	116.2	116.5	118.9	115.4
1966-67—	September	..	118.2	116.9	119.2	122.4	116.8	116.6	118.9	115.7
	December	..	119.3	118.0	120.4	123.4	118.0	117.8	120.1	116.6

HOUSING GROUP

Year—										
1956-57	..	..	122.1	120.0	122.8	118.4	129.2	123.6	133.3	118.4
1957-58	..	..	127.3	126.3	127.3	123.9	133.9	126.0	137.3	120.9
1958-59	..	..	130.6	130.2	129.4	128.4	137.1	130.3	141.3	123.7
1959-60	..	..	135.2	133.8	135.8	132.6	140.0	133.5	148.5	125.7
1960-61	..	..	144.8	140.7	151.2	137.6	148.7	141.7	156.6	127.6
1961-62	..	..	150.7	147.5	157.5	140.5	153.5	146.4	163.8	153.7
1962-63	..	..	155.0	153.4	161.1	144.0	154.9	150.9	168.7	162.2
1963-64	..	..	159.6	160.1	164.5	145.2	158.5	155.9	174.0	162.6
1964-65	..	..	165.0	166.6	169.2	149.0	164.6	160.0	180.8	164.4
1965-66	..	..	171.9	172.3	177.2	158.3	171.1	165.6	185.9	166.9
Quarter—										
1964-65—	September	..	163.0	165.0	166.9	147.2	161.9	158.1	176.4	163.3
	December	..	164.4	166.2	167.9	148.7	164.5	159.9	180.9	164.4
	March	..	165.3	166.8	169.4	149.5	165.4	160.4	182.4	164.7
	June	..	167.2	168.3	172.4	150.4	166.5	161.5	183.5	165.0
1965-66—	September	..	168.6	168.7	173.3	157.1	167.2	162.9	184.5	165.4
	December	..	171.4	171.1	177.1	157.7	171.5	165.5	185.9	166.6
	March	..	172.4	172.6	177.6	158.8	172.6	166.5	186.0	167.4
	June	..	175.3	176.7	180.8	159.7	173.2	167.6	187.0	168.3
1966-67—	September	..	176.6	178.0	181.7	161.1	175.5	170.2	187.8	169.2
	December	..	178.4	179.6	182.9	162.5	179.1	172.6	191.0	169.6

NOTE. The separate city indexes measure price movements within each city individually. They do not compare price levels as between cities.

Consumer Price Index—continued
(Base of each Index: Year 1952-53 = 100.0)

Period		State Capital Cities—separately and combined							Canberra	
		Weighted average of six State Capital Cities	Sydney	Melbourne	Brisbane	Adelaide	Perth	Hobart		
HOUSEHOLD SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT GROUP										
Year—										
1956-57		105.8	106.5	105.2	106.5	103.2	104.5	115.2	111.0	
1957-58		107.5	109.3	106.2	108.3	104.0	105.7	116.0	112.6	
1958-59		108.7	109.1	109.2	109.0	105.0	105.9	116.8	113.0	
1959-60		109.8	109.6	110.9	110.6	106.0	107.1	118.5	115.4	
1960-61		111.2	111.5	112.5	111.3	106.1	107.3	121.1	116.6	
1961-62		112.7	113.2	114.1	113.0	106.7	107.3	124.3	114.0	
1962-63		112.4	112.8	114.0	112.8	106.2	107.0	123.8	113.2	
1963-64		111.0	111.3	112.6	111.7	104.4	105.2	123.8	112.8	
1964-65		111.9	110.7	115.2	112.7	104.9	106.4	124.5	113.2	
1965-66		113.8	111.4	118.7	115.0	106.2	108.1	125.7	113.4	
Quarter—										
1964-65—September ..		110.7	110.3	112.6	112.3	104.7	105.8	124.4	113.0	
December ..		111.3	110.8	113.5	112.8	104.6	106.2	124.3	113.5	
March ..		112.5	110.7	117.0	112.7	104.9	106.6	124.3	113.2	
June ..		112.9	110.8	117.7	113.1	105.2	106.9	124.9	113.0	
1965-66—September ..		113.4	111.2	118.2	114.2	105.6	107.9	125.6	113.3	
December ..		113.7	111.6	118.4	114.7	106.1	108.0	125.2	113.4	
March ..		113.7	111.1	118.7	115.1	106.2	107.9	125.4	113.1	
June ..		114.5	111.8	119.4	116.1	107.0	108.5	126.7	113.6	
1966-67—September ..		114.7	111.8	120.0	116.0	106.7	108.9	127.0	113.5	
December ..		115.1	112.0	120.6	116.2	107.1	110.1	127.1	113.6	
MISCELLANEOUS GROUP										
Year—										
1956-57		118.0	119.7	117.8	118.9	111.6	117.0	118.5	113.9	
1957-58		119.7	121.8	118.8	120.5	114.2	118.3	119.5	116.2	
1958-59		121.2	121.9	122.2	123.6	114.6	118.7	121.2	116.4	
1959-60		123.9	124.0	125.5	125.6	118.8	120.9	123.3	118.6	
1960-61		127.3	127.1	129.2	129.5	121.4	125.2	126.2	121.0	
1961-62		128.1	127.9	129.3	133.3	121.9	125.3	127.0	121.6	
1962-63		128.8	129.3	129.7	134.4	121.6	125.5	127.0	121.7	
1963-64		129.9	130.0	130.8	135.2	122.3	128.5	128.2	124.1	
1964-65		136.1	135.1	138.3	140.9	129.6	134.2	133.5	129.3	
1965-66		142.5	140.4	145.2	148.7	136.4	142.1	140.3	134.8	
Quarter—										
1964-65—September ..		133.1	133.1	133.5	138.6	128.0	131.5	131.8	126.8	
December ..		136.5	135.5	139.4	140.7	130.0	133.2	133.5	129.6	
March ..		137.3	135.9	140.1	141.7	130.2	136.0	133.9	130.4	
June ..		137.3	135.8	140.1	142.4	130.2	136.2	134.7	130.5	
1965-66—September ..		137.8	136.3	140.5	143.1	130.7	136.4	136.2	130.4	
December ..		142.7	140.9	145.1	147.8	137.3	142.8	141.6	135.9	
March ..		144.7	142.1	147.4	152.0	138.9	144.6	141.5	136.3	
June ..		144.8	142.3	147.6	152.0	138.8	144.6	141.7	136.4	
1966-67—September ..		146.9	143.2	151.3	154.7	139.8	146.1	142.6	137.3	
December ..		148.9	146.2	152.2	155.5	142.3	149.1	143.6	137.8	

NOTE. The separate city indexes measure price movements within each city individually. They do not compare price levels as between cities.

AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES

Average retail prices of food and groceries as previously published for capital cities and principal towns are now collected monthly in the State capital cities and Canberra only. These prices are published regularly in the following publications of this Bureau: *Average Retail Prices of Food and Grocery Items* (quarterly) and *Labour Report* (annual).

WHOLESALE PRICE (BASIC MATERIALS AND FOODSTUFFS) INDEX

Commodities in this index are priced in their primary or basic form wherever possible. The prices used have, in the main, been obtained directly from manufacturers and merchants and, with a few important exceptions, from Melbourne sources. The weighting system adopted is based on estimates of the average annual consumption of the commodities in Australia during the years 1928-29 to 1934-35 inclusive. Work is proceeding on the preparation of new series of wholesale price index numbers. Meanwhile the present series continue to be compiled on their existing basis which has become increasingly affected by changes in usage, changes of category as between 'imported' and 'home produced' for some commodities, and changes in industrial structure.

(Base of each Index: Average of 3 years ended June 1939 = 100)

Period	Basic materials								Basic materials and foodstuffs		
	Metals and coal	Oils, fats and waxes	Textiles	Chemicals	Rubber and hides	Building materials	Total	Foodstuffs and tobacco	Goods principally imported (a)	Goods principally home produced	Total all groups
1956-57	409	241	520	344	302	463	367	324	311	357	344
1957-58	398	238	437	349	280	453	355	325	301	355	339
1958-59	392	231	362	327	293	423	340	332	283	358	336
1959-60	395	225	403	331	379	431	347	348	281	375	348
1960-61	399	222	387	331	341	439	346	372	278	394	360
1961-62	392	212	400	333	302	439	340	332	270	363	336
1962-63	388	209	432	317	262	439	336	342	272	368	340
1963-64	383	207	484	286	221	473	339	352	275	376	346
1964-65	391	207	427	286	242	503	345	364	277	388	355
1965-66	390	218	432	325	306	507	355	385	280	409	371
1965-66—											
July	394	208	407	288	256	508	347	384	274	406	367
August	392	208	406	288	271	508	347	400	275	419	376
September ..	393	220	412	288	282	509	352	394	281	414	375
October	389	219	425	326	286	508	354	379	281	404	367
November ..	390	219	434	326	292	508	355	372	281	399	364
December ..	390	219	436	326	301	505	355	373	280	400	365
January	389	221	436	326	311	505	356	371	281	399	364
February ..	391	221	437	337	326	506	359	377	282	405	369
March	391	220	443	348	356	507	361	396	282	421	380
April	390	219	449	348	353	507	361	393	283	418	378
May	387	219	448	348	337	507	359	389	282	414	375
June	389	219	449	348	304	507	358	387	281	413	374
1966-67—											
July	389	220	448	369	303	507	360	395	282	420	379
August	395	220	443	385	309	508	364	403	283	428	385
September ..	396	221	430	382	295	511	363	402	282	428	385
October	395	220	417	382	273	513	362	400	283	424	382
November ..	397	220	p417	382	280	513	p362	400	283	p425	p383
December ..	p398	218	p415	382	295	513	p363	399	283	p424	p382

(a) Represents only such imported commodities as are included in the Wholesale Price Index and does not measure changes in prices of all imports.

FARM PRODUCTION PRICE INDEXES

The annual indexes shown in the following table relate to average 'prices' of farm products realised in the principal markets of Australia. The 'price' data used are average unit values for the total quantities of the relevant commodities produced or marketed in each year and the indexes therefore measure both the effects of changes in prices (as such) and of variations in the quality, type, usage, etc., of products marketed. The indexes for any year relate to the average values of farm products produced or marketed in that year, irrespective of the periods in which payment is received by producers.

The indexes shown below are the Revised Series (December 1952) in which average quantities of each product marketed in the period 1946-47 to 1950-51 have been used as fixed weights.

(Base: Average of 3 years ended June 1939 = 100)

Year				Agriculture	Pastoral	Farmyard and dairying	All farming	Wool (shorn and dead)	Products other than wool
1956-57	..	..	..	336	536	386	432	607	374
1957-58	..	..	..	336	435	382	388	473	359
1958-59	..	..	..	322	396	386	369	370	369
1959-60	..	..	..	329	464	402	403	440	391
1960-61	..	..	..	349	443	402	401	397	403
1961-62	..	..	..	348	421	373	385	412	376
1962-63	..	..	..	334	450	388	396	449	378
1963-64	..	..	..	351	511	402	431	531	398
1964-65	..	..	..	351	460	423	415	437	408
1965-66	..	..	..			

EXPORT PRICE INDEX

The table below sets out Export Price Index numbers on the reference base: Year 1959-60 = 100. A full description of the current index and its relationship with the previous index is given in Commonwealth Year Book No. 52, 1966 (pages 340-344).

(Base of each Index: Year 1959-60 = 100)

Period	Wool	Meats	Dairy produce	Cereals	Dried and canned fruits	Sugar	Hides and tallow	Metals and coal	Gold	All groups
1960-61..	92	104	82	99	99	101	92	97	100	95
1961-62..	97	100	81	106	95	91	84	91	100	96
1962-63..	104	101	88	107	90	107	72	89	100	101
1963-64..	120	105	93	107	98	175	73	101	100	114
1964-65..	102	110	94	107	100	100	91	123	101	105
1965-66..	107	120	86	107	102	r84	107	122	101	107
1964-65—										
July ..	112	109	92	109	101	139	81	114	100	110
August ..	112	110	92	110	100	122	83	117	100	110
September ..	110	109	92	111	100	113	85	119	101	109
October ..	108	110	93	112	100	104	87	123	101	109
November ..	107	110	95	110	100	102	89	126	101	108
December ..	101	111	95	104	100	94	90	126	101	104
January ..	98	112	95	106	100	89	90	124	101	102
February ..	99	111	95	104	100	86	93	128	101	103
March ..	94	110	95	104	100	85	94	129	101	101
April ..	94	111	96	104	100	83	98	127	101	101
May ..	96	112	93	104	100	91	100	122	101	101
June ..	96	110	91	104	100	91	99	117	101	100
1965-66—										
July ..	98	114	90	104	102	101	100	117	101	102
August ..	98	115	89	104	102	107	102	117	101	102
September ..	99	116	89	105	101	100	101	118	101	103
October ..	105	114	88	106	102	93	99	120	100	106
November ..	108	116	88	106	101	85	100	120	100	107
December ..	108	117	87	107	102	82	100	125	100	108
January ..	108	118	85	109	102	r75	109	125	100	108
February ..	108	121	84	109	102	r81	121	129	100	109
March ..	111	126	84	107	101	r73	122	126	100	110
April ..	113	130	84	110	101	r72	119	129	101	112
May ..	113	130	84	110	101	r70	111	119	101	111
June ..	113	127	84	111	101	r69	105	124	101	111
1966-67—										
July ..	113	121	84	113	p102	r69	105	122	101	rp110
August ..	111	117	84	113	p102	r100	105	122	101	p110
September ..	107	120	84	115	p102	r86	96	r117	101	rp107
October ..	102	120	84	113	p102	r73	88	116	101	p104
November ..	p102	119	84	112	p102	r63	88	116	101	p104
December ..	p102	p121	84	114	p102	64	92	116	101	p104

SECTION XIII. STATISTICAL SUMMARY

STATISTICAL SUMMARY—AUSTRALIA, 1901-02 to 1965-66

NOTE. (1) In most cases where figures are available back to 1861, these were shown in the September 1953 issue of the *Quarterly Summary of Australian Statistics*, pages 112 and 113.

(2) The statistics in this summary relate in general to the periods shown in the table headings; where the statistics relate to other periods, this is indicated in footnotes.

Item		Year ended 30 June—								
		1902	1912	1922	1932	1942	1952	1962	1966	
DEMOGRAPHY(a)—										
Population(b)	..	{ '000 Males '000 Females '000 Persons	2,005 1,820 3,825	2,382 2,192 4,574	2,799 2,712 5,511	3,333 3,220 6,553	3,599 3,545 7,144	4,311 4,217 8,528	5,352 5,249 10,601	5,764 5,685 11,449
Natural increase	..	'000	56.6	74.3	82.1	61.9	63.3	111.5	151.0	123.1
Net overseas migration	..	'000	3.0	74.4	17.5	-10.1	5.2	111.4	61.5	104.1
Marriages	..	'000	28	39	47	39	75	77	77	94
Divorces(d) and judicial separations	..	Rate(c)	7.3	8.8	8.6	6.0	10.6	9.2	7.3	8.3
Births	..	'000	398	509	1,490	1,969	3,351	7,330	6,751	8,534
Deaths	..	Rate(c)	103	122	136	119	135	193	240	223
Infant deaths	..	'000	27.2	27.2	25.0	18.2	18.9	23.0	22.9	19.7
	..	'000	46	48	54	57	71	82	89	100
	..	Rate(e)	12.2	10.7	9.9	8.7	10.0	9.7	8.5	8.8
	..	'000	10.7	8.4	9.0	5.0	5.3	4.9	4.7	4.1
	..	Rate(e)	103.6	68.5	65.7	42.1	39.7	25.2	19.5	18.5
WAGES (ADULT MALES)(b)—										
Minimum weekly wage rate index numbers(f)	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	38.5	85.8	129.5	144.3
PRIMARY AND SECONDARY INDUSTRIES—										
Agricultural(g)—										
Wheat	..	{ Area mill. ac Yield mill. bus Av. yield bus Area '000 ac	5.1 39 7.5 461	7.4 72 9.6 617	9.7 129 13.3 733	14.7 191 12.9 1,085	12.0 167 13.9 1,460	10.4 160 15.4 2,365	14.7 247 16.8 3,097	17.5 260 14.8 3,768
Oats	..	{ Area '000 ac Yield mill. bus Av. yield bus Area '000 ac	9.8 21.2 1.5 75	9.6 15.5 2.1 116	12.1 16.6 6.1 299	15.2 14.0 6.3 342	22.3 15.3 18.0 784	34.5 14.6 21.9 1,118	55.1 17.8 41.5 2,383	60.7 16.1 41.8 2,298
Barley	..	{ Area '000 ac Yield mill. bus Av. yield bus Area '000 ac	20.4 295 7.0 23.9	17.7 340 8.9 26.3	20.4 305 7.8 25.7	18.4 269 7.1 26.2	23.0 301 7.4 24.7	19.6 170 4.0 23.7	17.4 211 7.3 34.7	18.2 197 7.3 34.7
Maize	..	{ Area '000 ac Yield mill. bus Av. yield bus Area '000 ac	1,688 2,025 1.20 110	2,518 2,868 1.14 130	2,995 3,902 1.30 149	2,635 3,167 1.20 145	2,758 3,575 1.30 99	1,549 2,345 1.51 118	2,274 3,693 1.62 94	2,780 4,178 1.50 97
Hay	..	{ Area '000 tons Yield '000 tons Av. yield tons Area '000 ac	2.94 87 1.368 15.7	2.31 101 1,682 16.7	2.60 128 2,437 19.0	2.74 242 4,213 17.4	3.35 255 5,154 20.3	4.31 282 5,327 18.9	5.57 387 9,577 24.8	5.57 503 14,155 28.1
Potatoes	..	{ Area '000 tons Yield '000 tons Av. yield tons Area '000 ac	64 5.3 8.4	61 5.0 12.1	92 8.5 15.4	115 14.2 21.2	130 15.6 20.5	136 35.3 19.7	140 41.7 29.6	140 41.7 34.5
Sugar-cane(h)	..	{ Area '000 ac Yield '000 tons Av. yield tons Area '000 ac	64 5.3 8.4	61 5.0 12.1	92 8.5 15.4	115 14.2 21.2	130 15.6 20.5	136 35.3 19.7	140 41.7 29.6	140 41.7 34.5
Vineyards	..	{ Area '000 ac Yield '000 tons Av. yield tons Area '000 ac	64 5.3 8.4	61 5.0 12.1	92 8.5 15.4	115 14.2 21.2	130 15.6 20.5	136 35.3 19.7	140 41.7 29.6	140 41.7 34.5
Total area of crops	..	mill. ac	8.4	12.1	15.4	21.2	20.5	19.7	29.6	34.5
Pastoral, dairying, etc.—										
Livestock(i)	..	{ horses cattle sheep pigs	1.6 8.5 72 0.9	2.3 11.8 97 1.1	2.4 14.4 86 1.0	1.8 12.3 111 1.2	1.6 13.6 125 1.4	0.9 14.9 118 1.0	0.6 18.0 158 1.7	0.6 17.9 157 1.7
Wool(j)	..	'000 tons	(a) 539	(a) 798	(a) 723	1,007	1,167	1,080	1,699	1,663
Butter	..	'000 tons	(a) 46	(a) 95	(a) 119	175	168	135	198	205
Cheese	..	'000 tons	(a) 5.3	(a) 7.1	(a) 14.6	14.0	30.1	40.6	55.7	58.0
Meat(k)—										
Beef and veal	..	'000 tons	n.a.	n.a.	{ 339	350	534	582	791	922
Mutton and lamb	..	'000 tons	n.a.	n.a.	{ 218	307	372	282	587	584
Pigmeat	..	'000 tons	n.a.	n.a.	{ 51	70	121	85	120	133
Total meat	..	'000 tons	n.a.	n.a.	{ 608	727	1,027	949	1,498	1,640
Mineral(a)(l)—										
Copper(m)	..	'000 tons	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	13.5	20.9	18.1	95.6	90.9
Gold(m)	..	'000 fine oz	3,300	2,484	758	595	1,497	896	1,076	877
Lead(m)	..	'000 tons	n.a.	222.0	57.7	162.6	275.5	212.0	269.7	362.1
Zinc(m)	..	'000 tons	(n)	190.3	20.7	97.5	170.0	189.2	311.2	349.2
Black coal	..	mill. tons	6.9	10.5	12.8	8.4	14.2	17.6	24.0	31.5
Brown coal	..	mill. tons	..	(n)	0.1	2.2	4.6	7.8	16.3	20.7
Forestry—										
Sawn output of Australian grown timber	..	mill. sup ft	(a) 452	(a) 605	590	237	914	1,393	1,352	1,488

(a) Year ended previous December. (b) At 31 December of previous year. (c) Number per 1,000 of mean population. (d) Decrees made absolute, including decrees for nullity of marriage. (e) Number per 1,000 live births. (f) New series. Base: 1954 = 100. Excludes rural industry. (g) Season ended in year shown. (h) Cane cut for crushing. (i) At 31 December of previous year for years to 1942, at 31 March thereafter. (j) In terms of greasy. (k) Carcass weight in terms of fresh meat. (l) Breaks in the continuity of the series occurred in 1931 and 1951. (m) Mine production, i.e., metal content of minerals produced. (n) Less than .05.

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NOTE. See headnotes on page 129.

Item	Year ended 30 June—							
	1902	1912	1922	1932	1942	1952	1962	1966
PRIMARY AND SECONDARY INDUSTRIES—								
<i>continued</i>								
Factories—								(j)
Number of factories .. '000	(b)	14.5	18.0	21.7	27.0	45.8	58.5	61.0
Persons employed .. '000	(b)	312	379	337	725	978	1,121	1,269
Salaries and wages paid .. \$m	(b)	56	136	112	360	1,224	2,287	2,994
Net value of production—								
Chemicals, etc. .. \$m	n.a.	2.2	6.4	15.8	59.6	127.4	364.3	504.8
Industrial metals, etc. .. \$m	n.a.	24.0	47.2	45.6	239.8	826.2	1,770.3	2,486.1
Textiles, etc. .. \$m	n.a.	15.0	38.4	13.8	42.0	113.2	211.2	279.6
Clothing .. \$m	n.a.	15.0	38.4	22.2	47.2	162.2	252.4	302.3
Food, etc. .. \$m	n.a.	23.6	54.4	57.4	106.4	282.2	595.5	757.4
Paper, etc. .. \$m	n.a.	8.4	18.0	19.2	34.2	136.4	326.9	426.9
All groups .. \$m	58.2	95.0	225.0	222.0	633.0	2,049.8	4,394.6	5,897.1
Value of plant and machinery .. \$m	n.a.	62.8	156.2	243.0	338.4	825.0	3,052.1	3,766.3
Value of land and buildings .. \$m	n.a.	65.0	134.6	213.2	312.6	720.4	2,809.6	3,508.0
Net value of production(c)—								(i)
Agriculture .. \$m	47.6	77.6	163.8	99.4	128.0	493.4	733.0	978.8
Pastoral .. \$m	54.4	105.4	150.2	86.0	170.8	801.0	962.7	1,221.3
Dairying .. \$m	15.2	32.2	70.6	45.2	68.6	207.6	273.0	360.7
Poultry .. \$m	4.0	8.0	18.0	11.4	13.0	63.0	49.7	50.9
Bee-farming .. \$m	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.8	1.6	3.2	4.1
Total, rural .. \$m	121.4	223.4	402.8	242.2	381.2	1,566.6	2,021.6	2,615.8
Trapping .. \$m	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	3.0	10.0	13.4	11.8	13.1
Forestry .. \$m	5.6	9.6	18.2	7.8	20.4	75.8	95.2	111.1
Fisheries .. \$m	2.2	2.8	2.8	3.6	11.4	28.6	28.6	39.0
Mining and quarrying .. \$m	44.0	46.6	40.0	27.0	66.8	194.4	274.5	397.8
Total, non-rural .. \$m	49.6	58.4	61.0	40.6	100.8	295.0	410.1	561.0
Total, primary .. \$m	171.0	281.8	463.8	282.8	482.0	1,861.6	2,431.7	3,176.9
Factories .. \$m	58.2	95.0	225.0	222.0	633.0	2,049.8	4,394.6	5,897.1
Total, all industries .. \$m	229.2	376.8	688.8	504.8	1,115.0	3,911.4	6,826.4	9,074.0
BUILDINGS—								
New houses and flats completed								
No. '000	..	..	..	..	(i) 15.4	80.1	86.3	112.8
Value \$m	..	..	..	..	(i) 29.0	354.0	593.2	869.9
OVERSEAS TRADE—								
Imports .. \$m f.o.b.	(a)	(a)	188	104	348	2,106	1,769	2,939
Exports .. \$m f.o.b.	100	158	256	216	338	1,350	2,155	2,724
Principal exports(d)—								
Wool .. { mill. lb(e) .. 529	734	946	903	938	1,036	1,460	1,446	
.. { \$m f.o.b. .. 30	52	96	64	116	646	746	785	
Wheat .. { '000 tons .. 543	1,477	2,677	3,413	598	1,685	5,442	5,076	
.. { \$m f.o.b. .. 5.6	19.2	57.2	38.4	9.2	110.6	284.8	264.0	
Flour .. { '000 short tons .. 97	176	360	611	414	789	579	390.7	
.. { \$m f.o.b. .. 1.2	2.8	11.0	7.6	8.4	66.0	34.8	24.8	
Butter .. { mill. lb .. 35	102	127	202	130	25	175	168	
.. { \$m f.o.b. .. 2.8	9.2	16.0	20.6	16.2	9.2	47.0	50.0	
Hides and skins .. \$m f.o.b.	2.6	6.4	6.2	4.6	12.0	34.2	64.4	89.2
Meats .. \$m f.o.b.	5.2	8.6	11.0	12.8	28.2	71.0	179.4	288.0
Fruit(f) .. \$m f.o.b.	0.4	1.0	6.0	9.6	8.0	39.0	71.2	104.3
Sugar .. \$m f.o.b.	(k)	(k)	(k)	5.0	5.2	13.8	67.8	95.0
Gold .. \$m f.o.b.	28.6	24.0	7.0	23.8	18.4	14.0	18.0	24.4
Silver and lead(g) .. \$m f.o.b.	4.6	6.4	5.4	5.8	14.8	64.2	47.0	90.1
Ores and concentrates(h) .. \$m f.o.b.	(k)	7.4	1.6	0.4	2.6	34.0	40.4	71.1
Principal imports—	(a)	(a)						
Vegetable foodstuffs, etc. .. \$m f.o.b.	7.2	7.4	8.0	5.2	12.2	50.0	56.2	66.2
Apparel, etc. .. \$m f.o.b.	21.8	32.4	62.0	30.8	65.4	407.2	208.4	272.1
Oil, etc. .. \$m f.o.b.	2.4	3.2	9.4	11.0	32.4	175.0	219.8	260.0
Metals, etc. .. \$m f.o.b.	15.6	28.0	45.6	14.8	143.6	786.8	630.6	1,275.2
Rubber .. \$m f.o.b.	1.0	2.8	3.4	1.6	6.4	68.0	35.6	60.0
Paper, etc. .. \$m f.o.b.	3.2	5.2	8.8	8.8	8.6	137.6	115.8	156.5
TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION—								
Shipping—	(a)	(a)						
Overseas vessels, Entrances { No. .. 4,028	4,174	3,111	3,057	2,544	4,136	7,210	7,958	
and Clearances { mill. tons .. 6.5	10.0	9.1	11.4	10.8	18.2	37.7	46.3	
Overseas cargo—								
Discharged .. mill. tons(i) .. n.a.	n.a.	2.4	3.0	5.5	14.4	20.3	28.3	
Shipped .. mill. tons(i) .. n.a.	n.a.	5.8	6.7	4.2	5.7	18.7	23.8	

(a) Year ended previous December. (b) Owing to variation in classification, effective comparison is impossible. (c) Gross value from 1901 to 1921–22. Prior to 1922 figures are for years ended previous December. (d) Australian produce except gold, which includes re-exports. (e) In terms of greasy. (f) Excludes fruit juices. (g) Includes concentrates. (h) Excludes lead and silver-lead ores and concentrates. See note (g). (i) 1945–46, initial year of collection. (j) Year ended June 1965. (k) Less than .05. (l) Tons weight plus tons measurement.

Statistical Summary—Australia—continued

NOTE. See headnotes on page 129.

Item	Year ended 30 June—							
	1902	1912	1922	1932	1942	1952	1962	1966
TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION—contd.								
Interstate Vessels, En- trances and Clearances { No. mill. tons	n.a.	9,605	9,782	7,957	9,100	7,524	10,127	11,004
Interstate cargo shipped mill. tons(b)	n.a.	13.1	12.8	11.1	12.9	15.8	19.7	30.4
Government railways—								
Route-miles(d) .. '000	12.8	16.8	23.5	27.0	27.2	26.8	25.6	25.0
Passenger-journeys .. mill.	115	228	335	303	475	501	461	460
Goods and livestock carried mill. tons	15.5	25.5	31.5	26.1	38.9	44.3	55.6	64.3
Train-miles run .. mill.	38.2	55.2	56.1	63.8	88.5	93.4	92.6	94.3
Tramways and omnibuses—								
Passenger-journeys—								
Trams and trolley-buses .. mill.	n.a.	360	569	589	874	663	265	209
Omnibuses(l) .. mill.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	193	356	453	444
Motor vehicles on the register(d)—								
Cars .. '000	..	n.a.	102	420	451	1,026	m 2,303	m 2,972
Other motor vehicles .. '000	..	n.a.	102	96	251	585	(n) 830	(n) 876
Civil Aviation(e)—								
Plane-miles flown .. mill.	..	..	..	2.5	7.8	41.8	41.2	55.0
Passengers carried .. '000	..	..	..	57	152	1,829	2,666	4,158
Passenger-miles .. mill.	..	..	..	n.a.	76	722	1,119	1,831
Freight carried { '000 tons(f) mill. ton-miles(f)	..	..	..	0.1	1.2	57.5	57.2	76.1
Postal—								
Postal matter dealt with(g) mill. articles	365	680	778	887	1,124	1,482	2,101	2,556
Telegrams and cablegrams .. mill.	9.9	13.3	16.8	13.9	26.1	29.8	21.6	25.0
Telephones—								
Instruments .. '000	29	103	259	485	739	1,301	2,382	2,978
Lines .. '000	25	85	196	364	531	928	(o) 1,718	(o) 2,120
Calls—trunk .. mill.	n.a.	n.a.	14.0	28.9	45.3	69.4	76.5	116.6
local .. mill.	n.a.	n.a.	221	369	664	968	1,650	2,103
Broadcast listeners' licences(d) '000	..	..	(h) 36	369	1,320	1,961	2,220	2,526
Television viewers' licences(d) '000	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,424	2,226
PUBLIC FINANCE—								
Commonwealth—								
Consolidated revenue fund—	(c)	(c)						
Revenue .. \$m	22	42	128	144	420	2,034	3,284	4,879
Expenditure .. \$m	8	30	128	144	420	2,034	3,284	4,879
Net loan fund expenditure(i) \$m	..	2	10	8	426	110	182	163
Taxation collections .. \$m	18	32	100	108	360	1,868	2,833	4,185
State—								
Consolidated revenue fund—								
Revenue .. \$m	56	82	170	200	304	776	1,610	2,095
Expenditure .. \$m	58	82	174	242	298	784	1,616	2,120
Net loan expenditure(i) .. \$m	18	32	68	12	16	396	396	494
Taxation collections .. \$m	6	10	36	66	114	126	354	
Government securities on issue(j)—					(k)	(k)	(k)	(k)
Commonwealth .. \$m	..	12	708	638	1,340	3,838	3,120	3,144
State .. \$m	426	558	1,038	1,578	2,038	2,992	5,962	7,495
Total .. \$m	426	570	1,746	2,216	3,378	6,830	9,082	10,639
Overseas .. \$m	n.a.	388	824	1,044	1,312	1,112	1,424	1,504
In Australia .. \$m	n.a.	182	922	1,172	2,066	5,718	7,658	9,135
PRIVATE FINANCE—								
Commonwealth note issue(p) \$m	..	16	107	103	205	605	859	849
Cheque-paying banks—								
Advances(q) .. \$m	188	238	364	522	648	1,634	2,265	3,154
Deposits(q) .. \$m	186	300	578	638	962	2,706	3,883	5,349
Bank clearing(a) .. \$m	676	1,324	3,404	3,162	5,656	24,320	50,216	78,891
Savings bank deposits(j) .. \$m	62	118	308	396	548	1,784	3,470	5,254
Life insurance(a)(r)—								
Ordinary—								(u)
Policies .. '000	414	484	730	871	1,340	2,554	4,201	4,539
Sum assured .. \$m	216	218	362	570	926	2,424	8,743	12,481
Industrial—								
Policies .. '000	236	467	973	1,550	2,780	3,843	3,199	2,851
Sum assured .. \$m	10	20	60	134	254	508	707	823
Total—								
Policies .. '000	650	951	1,703	2,421	4,120	6,397	7,400	7,390
Sum assured .. \$m	226	238	422	704	1,180	2,932	9,450	13,304

(a) Year ended previous December. (b) Tons weight plus tons measurement. (c) Year ended 30 June.
 (d) At end of period. (e) Regular internal services. (f) In terms of short tons (2,000 lb). (g) Letters, post-
 cards, letter-cards, newspapers, packets, parcels and registered articles. (h) Year 1923–24. (i) Loan expendi-
 ture on works, services, etc. (j) At 30 June. (k) Expressed in Australian Currency equivalents at ruling rates
 of exchange. (l) Government and municipal only. (m) Cars and station wagons. (n) Utilities, vans, trucks,
 etc. (o) Services in operation. (p) At the end of June. (q) Figures are for the June quarter. (r) Exist-
 ing business in Australia. (u) Year ended December 1964.

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NOTE. See headnotes on page 129.

Item	Year ended 30 June—							
	1902	1912	1922	1932	1942	1952	1962	1966
SOCIAL STATISTICS—								
Age and invalid pensions—								
Pensioners '000(e)	..	90	144	256	336	420	691	744
Amount paid \$m	..	4.4	10.8	22.2	38.6	119.6	360.4	442.4
Child endowment—								
Children endowed .. '000(e)	..	..	..	..	910	2,518	3,420	3,763
Endowment paid \$m	..	..	..	..	22.6	93.2	132.8	176.4
Total Commonwealth social and health services(a) .. \$m	..	4.4	12.2	23.0	61.8	275.2	730.4	941.6
War pensions '000(e)	..	..	225	274	220	525	671	647
.. .. \$m	..	..	14.0	14.8	15.0	63.6	135.1	170.5
Service pensions '000(e)	..	..	..	..	14	17	58	66
.. .. \$m	..	..	..	..	1.2	3.6	19.4	28.2
Education(f)—								
Government schools—								
Schools '000	7.0	8.0	9.4	10.1	9.5	7.6	7.9	7.8
Staff (full time) .. '000	14.5	17.0	26.1	33.8	32.1	36.7	60.0	73.1
Students '000	638	639	819	937	887	1,013	1,664	1,857
Non-Government Schools—								
Schools '000	2.5	1.9	1.7	1.8	1.9	1.9	2.1	2.2
Staff (full time) .. '000	8.3	7.8	8.8	10.0	11.4	13.3	18.1	18.3
Students '000	149	161	199	221	257	326	527	581
Universities—								
Number	4	5	6	6	8	10	10	12
Staff(b)	n.a.	249	482	703	1,416	3,132	3,901	5,605
Students '000	1.8	3.4	8.0	9.8	13.9	31.7	57.7	90.1
Public hospitals—								
Number	285	355	404	513	566	675	739	753
Staff—medical '000	n.a.	1.1	1.5	3.2	3.9	6.9	10.5	11.9
.. nursing '000	n.a.	5.1	6.8	9.3	15.4	24.6	39.1	43.6
In-patients, cases treated .. '000	(c) 91	134	215	371	595	896	1,278	(d) 1,406
POLICE AND PRISONS—								
Police '000	(f) 5.8	(f) 6.4	(f) 6.9	(f) 8.6	(f) 9.7	(f) 12.3	(f) 15.9	(g) 17.6
Prisons	n.a.	104	91	85	70	69	75	74
Prisoners '000	4.3	3.1	2.9	4.2	3.2	4.8	7.2	7.3

(a) Excludes war and service pensions. (b) Teaching and research staff. Includes part-time till 1952, then full-time only. (c) Approximate. (d) Year ended 30 June 1965. (e) At 30 June. (f) Year ended previous December. (g) At 30 June 1965.

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